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1.
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2.
And round each notch of the laden shore, where the slim creeks softly hied
Their lives away in the strange wide sea, she broidered a golden thread.

3.
And down where the long white fingered piers the waves with cool tongues lap,
Two lovers were walking, who crossed the fields of the moon's round golden map.

4.
And midway the lunar meadows' lengths their inky shadows kissed,
Then passed like midgets, hand in hand, out in the shade and mist.

5.
Ah! if lovers don't wish their trysting known, or their kisses to gossips strewn,
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—Cornelia Laws St. John in New York World.

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For President—GROVER CLEVELAND.
For Vice President—ALLEN G. THURMAN.

Below will be found a report of the proceedings.

THE FIRST DAY.

Organization—Lieutenant Governor White Temporary Chairman.

ST. LOUIS, June 5.—The National Democratic convention was called to order twenty minutes before 1 o'clock to-day—just forty minutes after the time appointed. The city had been filling up for several days and the streets were filled with marching bands of delegates and the air was resonant with the stirring music of brass bands.

The members of the national committee were on hand in full force before the majority of the delegates arrived. Chairman Barnum, grim and gray, and incessantly chewing tobacco, was at the presiding officer's desk, on a high platform, opening telegrams and letters and giving directions to a host of messengers who were continually coming to him for orders. It was just the kind of work that he has been doing for a quarter of a century, and he was cool, deliberate and unruffled.

CHAIRMAN BARNUM.

The man who has never been to a national convention cannot easily conceive what it is. Fancy a hall of the construction of Madison Square garden, New York, but long and narrow, shaped precisely like Trinity church. The floor, almost an acre in extent, is covered with kitchen chairs—thousands of them in regimental lines, like the orderly output of a furniture factory. The two galleries, one above the other, around the walls of the parallelogram, are so covered with red, white and blue that they look as though they were platforms made of flags and upheld by pillars, half of bunting and half of evergreen. Thus a commonplace hall, cheap and ordinary, except for its vast size, was transformed into a brilliant palace of flags.

Facing all the delegates, under the picture of the Capitol, was the platform for the officers, with a little walnut pulpit at its front, and beside it a stand of flowers and a bust of Grover Cleveland.

Finally the mallet of Chairman Barnum fell, the vast crowd was hushed and Bishop Granberry, of Missouri, of the Methodist Church South, made a brief prayer, the delegates standing while the good man offered his invocation.

Then Secretary F. O. Prince, of Massachusetts, read the list of officers, as follows:

Stephen H. White, of California, for chairman; temporary secretary, Frederick O. Prince, of Massachusetts; assistant secretaries, Alfred Orendorf, of Illinois; W. L. Scott, of Virginia; T. E. Barrett, of St. Louis; Leopold Strauss, of Alabama; O. M. Hall, of Minnesota; John Triplett, of Georgia; L. E. Rowley, of Michigan; Oliver Newell, of Colorado; T. J. Tingle, of Missouri; T. L. Merrill, of Nebraska; reading secretary, Hon. Thomas Pettit, house of representatives; assistant reading clerks, Michael T. Barrett, of New Jersey; T. G. Walker, of Iowa; R. H. Henry, of Mississippi; John W. Kern, of Indiana; J. P. Carr, of Missouri; E. D. Sawyer, of Ohio; Wm. P. Bentley, of Missouri; official stenographer, Edward B. Dickinson, of New York; sergeant at arms, Richard J. Bright; chief doorkeeper, Daniel Able, St. Louis.

Governor White thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him, and congratulated the delegates, not only as Democrats, but as American citizens, upon the encouraging circumstances which attended the inauguration of the proceedings.

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POSITIONS OF THE DELEGATIONS.

Then Governor Green, of New Jersey, moved, and it was adopted, that in voting for candidates for president and vice president "no state shall be allowed to change its vote until all the states have been called and every state has cast its vote."

When this was accomplished T. M. Patterson, on behalf of the Colorado delegation, presented Chairman White with a silver gavel. Mr. White received it with a few graceful words, saying among other things:

"And, gentlemen, so far as this gift is concerned, you will have to be ruled by silver."

Then Senator Morgan arose upon the platform and offered a resolution that each delegation name one member to act as its member upon the committee on credentials, one member as its member on the committee on permanent organization, and one member as its member on the committee on resolutions, and that all resolutions relating to the platform of the Democratic party be referred to the said committee on resolutions without debate. The resolution was adopted unanimously.

Considerable time was next consumed in settling various working details of the convention, and Roswell P. Flower moved that when the convention adjourn it do so till noon the next day, but ex-Senator Abbett moved, and it was carried, that the adjournment be till 10 o'clock.

Whereat the convention adjourned with a great roar.

The committee on resolutions met promptly at 5 p. m. They proceeded to ballot for chairman. There were two candidates, Henry Watterson, who received 22 votes, and was elected, and Senator Gorman, who had 20 votes. The subject of the tariff was immediately referred to the following sub-committee: Watterson, of Kentucky, chairman; Vaple, of Michigan; Hellman, of Oregon; Turpie, of Indiana; Simms, of Mississippi, and Patterson, of Colorado. These constituted the majority of the sub-committee, and favored advanced revenue reform ideas. The minority or protection element consists of Gorman, of Maryland; Burr, of Connecticut; Abbett, of New Jersey; Cooper, of New York, and Dymond, of Louisiana. The sub-committee was directed to report to the full committee on Wednesday at 9 o'clock.

The nomination of Gen. Collins was made by Dr. Hanrahan, of Vermont. Mr. Castleman, of Kentucky, seconded it, and he was selected unanimously for recommendation to the convention. H. H. Ingersoll was selected without opposition as the committee's choice for permanent secretary. Prime, the temporary secretary, and all his assistants were retained for the permanent organization as Mr. Ingersoll's helpers.

THE SECOND DAY.

Grover Cleveland Renominated for President by Acclamation.

ST. LOUIS, June 6.—The session was opened with prayer. The delegates did not show the devotion of the previous day, for they remained seated. After the prayer the reports of the committees on credentials and permanent organization were read.

The selection of Gen. Patrick A. Collins for permanent chairman seemed to give intense satisfaction. As he was conducted to the chair by William H. Barnum and Roswell P. Flower he was loudly cheered. The Massachusetts delegates were exceptionally pleased. They arose, swung their hats and gave him three rousing verbal volleys.

The silver gavel was still in the custody of

GROVER CLEVELAND.

the California delegation, so the general seized an old fashioned Masonic gavel and pounded for order.

He spread a printed copy of his speech upon the desk and began to address the convention in faint and measured terms. Cries of "louder" were heard. The general elevated his voice, and as he warmed up in his delivery his ornate and classical sentences were uttered in tones so clear and silvery that all could hear them.

Mr. Collins thanked the convention for the honor done him, and asked for their co-operation in promoting order and good will. He called attention to the fact that it was the first time for many years that the Democratic party had held a convention with its representative in the White House, speaking of the victory as greatly deserved and necessary. He reminded the delegates of the importance of the approaching contest, and said they were confronted by a wily and unscrupulous foe. He then eulogized President Cleveland, saying that his administration had triumphantly justified his election. It compelled the admiration and respect of the whole country. "What the people see," he said, "is the government of the Union restored to its ancient footing of justice." He concluded as follows:

"Fellow Democrats, this is but the initial meeting in a political campaign destined to be memorable. It will be a clashing of nearly even forces. Let no man here or elsewhere belittle or underestimate the strength or resources of the opposition. But, great as they are, the old Democratic party, in conscious strength and perfect union, faces the issue fearlessly."

When he closed the convention got down to business. The usual raft of resolutions came to the front. A delegate from Missouri sent a long free trade resolution to the desk. It was referred to the committee on resolutions.

The clerk next read the usual woman's right petition for a hearing. The hearing was granted, but was limited to ten minutes. Mrs. E. A. Merriweather, of St. Louis, went to the front of the platform. She is a pleasant faced lady, about 40 years old. She faced her 10,000 hearers without flinching. She spoke in a voice that could not be heard ten feet away. The delegates received her with the utmost good nature. When her ten minutes were up she pleaded so eloquently for a little more time that the chairman granted her two minutes more. At the end of her speech she smiled sweetly and gracefully retired.

After her disappearance an effort was made to get the convention to adjourn, but it signally failed. Editor Hensel, of Philadelphia, moved that the nominations for the presidency be made. The motion was promptly carried.

There was much excitement when the secretary began to call the roll.

"Alabama," he shouted.

Alabama tendered her right to make a nomination to New York.

The excitement reached a high pitch when a tall gentleman with curling locks of iron gray and snowy side whiskers left the New York reserve and began to mount the steps leading to the rostrum. He was the renowned Daniel Dougherty, late of Philadelphia, who placed Gen. Hancock in nomination in 1880. He drew his speech from the tail pocket of his buttoned and neatly fitting black frock coat, and faced the multitude. The blood red badge of a delegate adorned his breast. He stood tall and straight like a Norway pine. For at least forty seconds he gazed at the vast audience. Then he began to speak, slowly and distinctly. His gestures were toned to the sentiments expressed, and his tall figure lengthened when he made his finest flights of eloquence. He showed the studied grace of an orator, combined with the ability of a great actor. The delegates from the west and from the south were entranced. All were magnetized by the matchless spell of the orator. Every eye was riveted on him, and every ear was strained to hear him.

Mr. Dougherty spoke in a clear, silvery voice. He said they were here to choose a candidate for the presidency, but that candidate had already been chosen by the people. He spoke of Mr. Cleveland's wonderful and sudden elevation to the highest position in the country's gift, and said that the promises of his letter of acceptance of that position and his inaugural address had been fulfilled.

He had courageously declared that the supreme issue was tariff reform; that high taxation, vital for the expenditures of an unparalleled war, was robbery in the time of prosperous peace; that to lower the tariff was not free trade. The man who asserted that it is, said Mr. Dougherty, is a falsifier. The aim is to uphold wages and protect the rights of all. Continuing, Mr. Dougherty said:

This administration has rescued the public domain from would be barons and cormorant corporations, faithless to obligations, and reserved it for free homes for this and coming generations. There is no pilfering, there are no jobs

DANIEL DOUGHERTY.

under this administration. Public office is a public trust. Integrity stands guard at every post of our vast empire. While the president has been the medium through which has flowed the undying gratitude of the republic for her soldiers, he has not hesitated to withhold approval from special legislation if strictest inquiry revealed a want of truth and justice. Above all, sectional strife, as never before, is at an end, and sixty millions of freemen in the ties of brotherhood are prosperous and happy. These are the achievements of this administration.

Under the same illustrious leader we are ready to meet our political opponents in high and honorable debate, and stake our triumph on the intelligence, virtue and patriotism of the people; adhering to the constitution in its every line and letter, ever remembering that "powers not delegated to the United States by the constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states respectively or to the people." By the authority of the Democracy of New York, backed by the Democracy of the entire Union, I give you a name entwined with victory. I nominate Grover Cleveland, of New York.

It was a classic speech, magnificently delivered.

When the orator reached his peroration and put Grover Cleveland in nomination, the restraint of his audience passed all bounds. A Cleveland tempest burst over the hall. Ten thousand throats were opened and ten thousand hands began to wave hats, handkerchiefs and whatever came handy. The tempest increased in intensity. The Thurman men seized the opportunity, flaunted their bandannas and made a red sea of the convention. The tornado had lasted ten minutes when Gen. Pat Collins began to use the gavel in an effort to stop it. It was like adding fuel to the flames.

Suddenly a magnificent effect was produced. A huge painting of the Capitol at Washington adorned the end of the hall above the gallery shading the platform. The pictured entrance to the great building had been veiled. The veil was drawn aside, and a life sized portrait of the president appeared in the doorway of the Capitol. It thrilled the multitude like a shock of electricity. Men and women acted as though mad with delight. Hats were thrown into the air, regardless of their fate; umbrellas

AFTER CLEVELAND'S NOMINATION.

were opened and twirled until they resembled dancing dervishes.

In their wild furor the occupants of the galleries tore away many of the decorations of the hall. A score of great gilt eagles, made of pasteboard, were torn from their fastenings and thrown to the floor. Here they were borne aloft by willing hands and waved to and fro until a flock of the great golden birds seemed to be hovering over the heads of those in the body of the hall.

This extraordinary scene lasted twenty-two and one-half minutes. During the furore some one placed a laurel wreath on the brow of a fine bust of the president which stood to the left of the chairman's desk.

The nomination of the president was seconded by Mr. McKenzie, of Kentucky. He mounted the rostrum clad in a gray cutaway suit. He made a quaint and original speech without notes and offhand. It was filled with similes patterned after a Kentucky

THE CONVENTION IN SESSION.
(From a photograph.)

training, and they went straight to the heart of every man who heard them. He proposed to make the fight under the banner of the "queenly woman whom the president has made his wife," and to keep her in the White House four years longer.

Col. Twiggs, of Georgia, followed McKenzie in seconding the nomination. He had a written speech, and he delivered it in true Georgia fashion. It was more ornate, but not so exhilarating as the speech of the Kentuckian.

The states were then called for other nominations. None were made. When New York was reached a thousand voices shouted for Col. John R. Fellows, but there was no response. There were also cries for Voorhees when Indiana was reached, for Scott when Pennsylvania was called, and for Daniel when Virginia was named. Scott was absent fixing his Watterson lariat, and Daniel declined.

On motion of Mr. McKenzie, Grover Cleveland was unanimously nominated for president of the United States.

The applause when the nomination of Mr. Cleveland was ratified by the convention was terrible, but it bore no comparison to the uproar that greeted his name when first presented.

After his formal nomination efforts were made to nominate candidates for the vice presidency. Senator Dan Voorhees strenuously opposed it, and made repeated efforts to secure a recess until to-morrow. The Thurman men at first opposed it, and successfully. They evidently thought that the heart of the convention was with them.

Finally, however, Mr. White, of California, an enthusiastic supporter of Thurman, made a speech favoring a recess. He said that the nomination of a vice president would send many delegates home without a vote on the platform.

This argument proved effective, and the convention took a recess until Thursday at 10 a. m. Thus ended a most eventful day in the history of the Democratic party.

THE THIRD DAY.

The Platform Presented and Thurman Unanimously Nominated.

ST. LOUIS, June 7.—The third day of the convention opened hot and dusty. Many of

SOME CLUB UNIFORMS.

the visiting delegation had left on the night before, but there was no appreciable reduction in the crowd that clamored for admittance to Convention hall. The decorations, which were rudely handled during the demonstrations following the nomination of Cleveland, were restored, and the bust of the president flanking the chairman's desk still wore a wreath of laurel jauntily placed on the side of the head for the delectation of the audience, which assembled long before the delegates began to arrive.

A letter was received from the Hon. John C. Black declining to have his name presented for the vice presidential nomination.

The convention was called to order at 10:30 o'clock. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. Brankfield. The chair then stated that he was advised that the committee on resolutions was ready to report, and he introduced Mr. Henry Watterson, the chairman of the committee. The assemblage testified its appreciation of Mr. Watterson by a round of applause.

THE PLATFORM.

The report of the committee was then read by Secretary Pettit. It was as follows:

The Democratic party of the United States, in national convention assembled, renews the pledge of its fidelity to Democratic faith, and reaffirms the platform adopted by its representatives in the convention of 1884, and indorses the views expressed by President Cleveland in his last annual message to congress as the correct interpretation of that platform upon the question of tariff reduction; and also indorses the efforts of our Democratic representatives in congress to secure a reduction of excessive taxation. Chief among its principles of party faith are the maintenance of an indissoluble union of free and indestructible states, now about to enter upon its second century of unexampled progress and renown; devotion to a plan of government regulated by a written constitution strictly specifying every granted power and expressly reserving to the states or people the entire ungranted residue of power; the encouragement of a jealous popular vigilance, directed to all who have been chosen for brief terms to enact and execute the laws, and are charged with the duty of preserving peace, ensuring equality and establishing justice. The Democratic party welcome an exacting scrutiny of the administration of the executive power which four years ago was committed to its trust in the election of Grover Cleveland as president of the United States, and it challenges the most searching inquiry concerning its fidelity and devotion to the pledges which then invited the suffrages of the people. During a most critical period of our financial affairs, resulting from over taxation, the anomalous condition of our currency and a public debt unmatured, it has by the adoption of a wise and conservative course not only averted disaster but greatly promoted the prosperity of the people.

It has reversed the improvident and unwise policy of the Republican party touching the public domain, and has reclaimed from corporations and syndicates, alien and domestic, and restored to the people nearly one hundred millions of acres of valuable land to be sacredly held as homesteads for our citizens.

While carefully guarding the interest of the taxpayers and conforming strictly to the principles of justice and equality, it has paid out more for pensions and bounties to the soldiers and sailors of the republic than was ever paid before during an equal period.

By intelligent management and a judicious and economical expenditure of the public money, it has set on foot the reconstruction of the American navy upon a system which forbids the recurrence of scandal and insures successful results. It has adopted and consistently pursued a firm and prudent foreign policy, preserving peace with all nations while scrupulously mainta

The Columbian.

O. E. Elwell, J. K. Bittenbender., } Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1888.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, June 11th. 1888.

Enthusiastic is a very mild work for describing the condition of the democratic members of Congress who have just returned from the St. Louis Convention, and there is ample reason why every democrat in the United States should be as enthusiastic as they. Cleveland and Thurman, and a platform broad enough and strong enough to hold every democrat in the country, are sufficient causes for universal enthusiasm.

Never before in the history of the democratic party has it entered a Presidental campaign with such good prospect of victory; never before was the party so thoroughly united. That much credit for this very flattering state of affairs in the party is due to Mr. Cleveland cannot be denied. He has given the country a good, honest painstaking administration; one that has been conservative and steady; no fireworks; no bunkum; just plain, everyday, good old-fashioned, democratic ideas of business, applied in a business way, and the result is an administration that has pleased the people so well that they have concluded to have four years more of it. The American voter knows a good thing when he sees it.

Every true democrat will take pleasure in honoring that old wheelhorse of democracy, Allen G. Thurman, of Ohio. The red bandanna is the symbol that will lead us to victory.

The Republicans are in a pitiable condition. Their National Convention at Chicago promises to be in marked contrast to the St. Louis Convention, which was thoroughly harmonious. There is every indication that they will have a bitter and prolonged fight over the nomination which may result in a deadlock betweeh the leading candidates, and the nomination of Blaine in spite of his positive declination, or the nomination of some entirely new and unknown man. In either case the fight is likely to be of such a nature as to virtually disrupt the party.

Congress continued in session all last week, but owing to the absence of many members at St. Louis very little business of importance was considered. Owing to a trick on the part of the Republicans of the House, by which they tried to get the arrears of pensions bill before the House, the tariff bill was again taken up under the five-minute rule, though it had been agreed previously to pass it by until today. Unless something is done to expedite this measure, it is difficult to see how it can possibly be finished during the present session of Congress

The President has approved the act of Congress providing that pensions heretofore and hereafter granted to widows of soldiers of the war of the rebellion shall commence at the date of the death of their husbands. This law affects favorably all claims of widows of the late war, which have been filed in the Pension Office since July 1st. 1880, and which have been allowed to commence from the date of the filing of the claims, but it will not affect the claims of widows filed before July 1st. 1880.

Notice is given by the Pension Office that in the settlement under this law of claims already allowed, no formal application will be required, and the services of attorneys will not be necessary. Widows entitled to back pensions under this law, need only write a letter giving name, postoffice adress, and certificate number, and the claim will be allowed with as little delay as possible.

Mrs. Cleveland is delighted at the renomination of her husband, and says she feels sure he will be elected again.

Judge Thurman is expected in Washington this week. He comes to invite the President and Mrs. Cleveland to attend the Ohio Centennial to be held at Columbus next September. He will be given a grand reception by the democrats of this city and Congress. The Capital will be painted red with bandanna handkerchiefs. "The Old Roman" and the President" came to know and love each other well" about a year ago when Mr. Thurman made a visit to Mr. Cleveland, and was entertained at "Oak View," ,the President's country residence.

The torchlight procession and ratification meeting will take place in this city on the evening of the 26th. inst., the day on which the democratic national committee meets here for organization.

Attorney General Garland, who has been quite ill, is convalescing, but General Sheridan's condition continues precarious. His death may be expected at any moment.

Representative Oates, of Alabama, has introduced a bill in the House which imposes a tax of $25 on every emigrant arriving in this country.

All the ex-soldiers in the employ of the Government, both Union and Confederate, will be given leave of absence to attend the reunion at Gettysburg on the anniversary of the battle of that place.

Pensions of Soldiers' Widows.

Congress has just enacted that pensions heretofore or hereafter granted to widows of soldiers of the War of the Rebellion shall begin at the date of the death of their husbands. This legislation favorably affects all claims of widows filed in the Pension Office on or after July 1, 1880, and which have been allowed to begin from the date of filing the claims, but will *not* favorably affect the cases of such widows as were filed *before* July 1, 1870, and which have been allowed, pension having already been granted in those cases from the date of their husbands' death. The Commissioner of Pensions gives notice that in the settlement of claims, under this law, already allowed, no formal application will be required and that the services of attorneys will not be necessary. Widows entitled under this law need only write a letter giving name, post-office address and certificate number, and the claims will be allowed with as little delay as practicable.

"More than ever," says the independent Chicago *News*. "is Gresham the one untried hope of the Republican party. Some combination very popular in Ohio is demanded to offset Thurman in his home State. But where is the Republican combination exceptionally strong in Ohio that is not weak elsewhere?" As Hamlet said: "Aye, there's the rub."

Frederick Still Worse.

A NEW COMPLICATION CAUSES THE PHYSICIANS TO ABANDON HOPE.

BERLIN, June 12.—To-night it is admitted that the condition of Emperor Frederick is nearly or quite hopeless. The Crown Prince was summoned to the palace at midnight in accordance with the advice of the physicians, who announced that the life of the Emperor might terminate at any moment. A constant stream of cipher telegrams is passing between Sir Morell Makenzie and the Prince of Wales. The Emperor awoke weaker this morning. His difficulty in swallowing has increased during the night and it was considered by the doctors that his disease has reached the oesophagus. Up to 4 o'clock he took food directly, at which hour the Empress visited him. At 6.30 he went on the terrace and remained there an hour. Later there was a change for the worse. He became very feverish and could only be fed by artifical means.

At 9.30 to-night it was said that he was slightly better, but the greatest anxiety prevails. Through some changes, of the exact nature of which the doctors are uncertain, the cartilage of the epiglottis has become permeable, allowing particles of food and liquids to enter the air tubes, the result being attacks of coughing and choking. Whether any of the recent abscesses broke through the partition between the larynx and oesophagus, or whether the epiglottis has been attacked by malignant diseases, the doctors are unable to determine. The Emperor was weakening rapidly.

NEWS ITEMS.

Walt Whitman, the poet, is very ill and his life is despaired of by his friends.

Governor Hill, of New York state, has signed a bill legalizing the execution of condemned murderers by electricity.

Senator Cameron has offered a resolution in the House appropriating $30,000 for a monument to mark the birthplace of George Washington.

The faculty of Yale College has just passed a law which forbids absolutely the use of intoxicating liquors in any shape whatsoever in any of the societies or organization of students of the university. A member of the faculty said that the law had not been passed on account of any especial recent excesses among the students, but as a matter of general university policy.

Sergeant Harry Reese, of the Forty-eighth Infantry, now High Constable of Shamokin, is the man who lighted the fuse which blew up the famous mine in front of Petersburg during the war. General Horace Porter, in his "Philosophy of Courage" article in the last number of the *Century* Magazine, makes mention of the event, and regards it as one of the most courageous undertakings of the war.

Farmers are warned to beware of a lightning rod company, representing themselves as the "North American Lightning Rod Company." They send an agent to obtain an agreement to put up a rod for ten dollars, but when the rod is up it costs ninety dollars instead of ten. After the first man, a second party comes around to put it up, and then a third party comes to collect. The whole business is a fraud.

A despatch from San Francisco dated June 6, says: The British bark Balaklave arrived yesterday from London, after a remarkable long voyage of one year and seventy-four days. Her misfortunes were many. There is not a sailor aboard who shipped on her from England. Ten sailors were washed overboard and drowned in a storm off Cape Horn, and while at Valparaiso for repairs the remainder of the crew deserted. The bark was again caught in a storm after leaving that port, and lost two more men.

A remarkable lady has just died in Lancaster County, S. C. She was Mrs. Catharine Crowell and was 99 years old. Mrs. Crowell was the mother of sixteen children. Her descendents numbered 422, not including the descendents ot two of her children who lived out West and have not been heard from for years. She had 156 grandchildren, 212 great-grandchildren, and thirty-two third grand-children, and six fourth grand children. She married when she was 16, and many of her descendents have done likewise.

James Owen O'Connor, has a rival in Philadelphia who last week won a historic triumph which cast in the shade the great achievements of Count Johannes and of all who have followed in his footsteps. Last Friday night, at Industrial Hall, Philadelphia, Dr. Landis, who had been playing a piece called: "Dick Shaw," was confronted by an audience of 1,000 people armed with potatoes, eggs, oranges, lemons, beans and all uncharitableness. Landis had had a net placed in front of the stage, but it was as slight a protection from the missiles of the crowd as in a mosquito screen from the onset of a swarm of New Jersey stingers.

Judge Thurman tells a reporter that he does not know how the now famous bandanna became associated with his name. "When I first went to Congress" he adds, "along in 1839–40, the habit of taking snuff was general. Two large boxes, each containing a pound or more of snuff, were stationed in the House of representatives for public use. I did not acquire the habit for some time, but as one can not get along very well without some evil habit, I fell into it after a time. Of course that necessitated the use of bandannas. Nearly every one carried them then, but I suppose I was singled out by some newspaper man, and that's probably how the thing started. You see there is nothing romantic about it."

A Horrible Inheritance.

The transmission of the fearful effects of contagious blood poison is the most horrible inheritance which any man can leave to his innocent posterity; but it can be certainly mitigated and in the majority of cases, prevented by the use of the antidote which Nature furnishes, and which is found in the remedy known all over the world as Swift's Specific—commonly called "S. S. S."

Mr. J. H. Brown, of Hornellsville, N. Y., writes: "Three years I suffered with this horrible disease. Swift's Specific cured me completely."

Prof. Edwin Baar, 264 E. 22nd st., N. Y., writes: "Swift's Specific cured me of a fearful case of Blood Poison."

Dr. B. F. Wingfield, of the Soldier's Home, Richmond, Va., writes: "Swift's Specific cured me of a severe case of Blood Poison."

D. W. K. Briggs, Brooklyn, N. Y., writes: "I was a perfect wreck from Blood Poison. Swift's Specific restored health and hope, and I am well to-day."

C. W. Langalli, Savannah, Ga.: I suffered long with Blood Poison. I tried Swift's Specific and am perfectly well.

A. W. Buell, of Power's Hotel, Rochester, N. Y., writes: "It is the best blood remedy on earth. I cured myself with it. I recommended it to a friend and it made him well."

Mr. F. L. Stanton, of the Smithville, (Ga.) News, writes that a friend was afflicted with a case of Blood Poison, and two bottles of S. S. S. effected a complete cure.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

Judge McCollum.

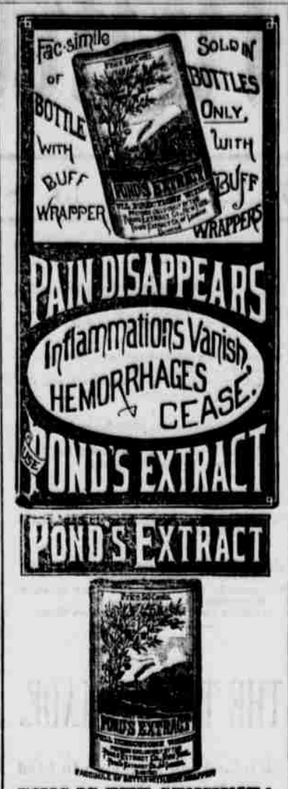
JUDGE MCCOLLUM, of Susquehanna county, nominated for Supreme Judge by the Democrats, will be a strong candidate before the people. He is a native of Susquehanna county, and his ancestors were pioneers in its settlement. After an academical and collegiate course, he studied law and was admitted to the bar. In 1878 a judicial election took place in the county, and Mr. McCollum was the Democratic candidate in opposition to Judge William Jessup, Republican, who had been appointed by Governor Hartrantt the year before to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the presiding judge. Notwithstanding Susquehanna county gave Governor Hoyt 1,600 majority, Mr. McCollum was elected judge by 1,300, a remarkable tribute to his personal worth, integrity and ability. He is just completing his ten years' term on the bench, and in that position has extended his reputation and added to his personal standing at home.—*Genius of Liberty.*

A despatch of June 4, from New Orleans says: At Beauvoir, yesterday, Jefferson Davis celebrated his eightieth birthday. The mails brought many letters of congratulations from old friends and many substantial remembrances were also received.

Ambling Backward Like the Crab.

From the Boston Herald, Ind.

The Republican ground on this tariff question has thus far been a distinctly Bourbon ground. There is not a symptom of liberality in it. It is against the faith of the founders of the party; it is against the policy of its leaders in the days that followed the war. It is so entirely reactionary that no progressive man can have part in it. If it is persisted in, it will alienate thousands of Independents now on other grounds well affected toward the party.



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SHERIFF SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the court house in the town of Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1888,

at 2 p. m., all that certain messuage piece or parcel of land situate in Franklin township, Columbia county, Pa.

No. 1. Bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in a public road leading from Catawissa to Roaringcreek in Franklin township, near the house of John Glassmeier, thence north twenty-eight and a half degrees, east thirty-two and six-tenths rods to a yellow pine down, thence north one degree, east one hundred and sixty-four and three-tenths rods to a post, thence south eighty-three degrees, west one hundred and seventy-nine rods to a hickory; thence south eight degrees, west one hundred and twenty and three-tenths rods to a post in the public road, thence south eighty-six degrees, east one hundred and thirty-five and nine-tenths rods to a point in the road to Roaringcreek road, thence south twenty degrees, east eighteen and nine-tenths rods, thence seventy-seven and a half degrees east sixteen rods; thence south thirty-six degrees, east twenty-six and six-tenths rods to the place of beginning: containing one hundred and sixty-one acres and nineteen perches, on which are erected a frame dwelling house, bank barn and out-buildings.

ALSO a right of way from said house along the right bank of Roaringcreek through division No. 2 to a public road, sold to Jacob Schuyler by John W. Hoffman, High Sheriff of Columbia county, deed dated March 1, 1879 and conveyed by said Schuyler to J. B. Robison.

Seized taken in execution at the suit of Thomas Trench vs. James Boyd Robison, and to be sold as the property of James Boyd Robison.

ZARR, Atty. Al. Fi. Fs.

ALSO,

A lot of ground situate in the town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner of lot of Peter R. Knapp on Iron street, between Second and Third streets, thence eastwardly along said lot one hundred and six feet to an alley, thence southwardly along said alley thirty feet to another lot of Charles Krug, thence along said lot westwardly one hundred and six feet to a corner on Iron street, and thence northwardly along said street thirty feet to corner of lot of Peter R. Knapp aforesaid, the place of beginning, whereon are erected a two story frame dwelling house and out-buildings.

ALSO,

Another lot of ground situate in the town of Bloomsburg aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner of the above described lot on Iron street, thence along said lot eastwardly one hundred and six feet to an alley thence southwardly along said alley 62 feet 4 in to lot of the Reformed congregation, thence westwardly along said lot one hundred and six feet to a corner on Iron street, thence northwardly along said street 62 feet 4 inches to a corner, the place of beginning, whereon are erected a two story frame dwelling house, barn and out-buildings.

Seized taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Charles Krug.

Al. Fi. Fs. SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

May 25 '88

SHERIFF'S SALE

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate!

By virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, Pa., on

Saturday, June 30th, 1888,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit: The undivided one-half interest in all that certain messuage or lot of ground situate in the township of Catawissa, county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post set for a corner for said lot at the intersection of the two public roads leading from the town of Catawissa respectively to McNinch's and McKelvy's mills, south eighteen and one half degrees east one hundred and forty-one feet and six inches to a post, thence by lands of Joseph B. Knittle north fifty and one-quarter degree east one hundred and five feet to a post on the south side of the aforesaid road leading from Catawissa to McNinch's mill, thence by the same north sixty-four degrees west one hundred and forty-four feet to the place of beginning, on which is erected a three story brick building used for a store-room, public hall, and Masonic Hall.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Geo. S. Gilbert.

Miller, Atty. SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

Bloomsburg, June 6, 1888.

STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE TOWN OF BLOOMSBURG FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1888.

RICHARD STILES, COLLECTOR. DR.

To balance due on duplicate of '86	$627 13
To amt. of duplicate of 1887	$7483 72
	$8970 85.

CR.

By exonerations allowed on duplicate of 1886	$ 49 12
By cash paid Treas. bal duplicate of 1886	838 01
By cash paid Treas. on duplicate of 1887 $4111.77 less discounts and commission	4381 95
By cash paid Treas. on duplicate of 1887 $1028.06, less commission	976 66
By cash pd Treas. on dup. of 1887	176 00
" " " " "	900 00
By 5 per cent discount allowed taxpayers on $4711.77	235 59
By 2 per cent commission on $4711 77	94 23
By 5 per cent. commission on $1028 06	51 40
Balance due district	767 99
	$8970 85.

WM. KRAMER, TREASURER.

DR.

To amt. recd. from Stephen Knorr former Treasurer	$ 465 32
To amt recd from County Treasurer, tax on unseated lands	44 06
To amt. State appropriation	954 08
To amt. recd. from Richard Stiles collector on duplicate of 1887	839 01
To amt. recd. from Richard Stiles collector on duplicate of 1887	8334 61
	$9616 08.

CR.

By amt paid for printing	59 10
" " " water	24 00
" " " auditors	8 00
" " " teachers	4795 78
" " " janitors	420 00
" " " music charts	41 45
" " " co-1	202 90
" " " insurance	105 00
" " " repairs	707 02
" " " ching buildings	55 45
" " " atty. fees	200 00
" " " sec., salary 5 mos	57 29
" " " bonds and int	1044 87
" " " sundries	109 44
By Treas. Com. on $1869.29	158 04
	$8061 84
Balance in Treasurer's hands	554 74
	$8616 08

We the undersigned Auditors of the Bloom district met June 7, audited the above accounts of Bloom school district and find them correct

WM. E. RINKER,
JOS. GARRISON,
F. D. DENTLER.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Maria Hess late of Benton township deceased.

Letters testamentary on the said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate will present the same for settlement to

JOHN R. KEELER, Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of George Zeigler deceased.

Letters of administration on the said estate having been granted to the undersigned administrator all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

JOSEPH E. ZEIGLER, Admr.

Chrisman, Atty. May 11 6w

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT.

List of Dealers in Columbia County.

I hereby certify the following list of Dealers taxes, returned and classified by me in accordance with the several acts of Assembly in and for the year 1888 is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Name and Business	Class	License
BEAVER.		
G P Dreisbach store	14	7 00
W S Corpman & Co store	14	7 00
Levi Michael store	14	7 00
Mrs J P Smith hotel	5	75 00
T J Shuman store	14	7 00
C A Rh an store	14	7 00
W H Roeder grocery	14	7 00
D L Singley store	14	7 00
BENTON.		
J E Edson store	14	7 00
J H Mc Henry hotel	5	75 00
T C McHenry drugs and hardware	14	7 00
John Heacock tobacco	14	7 00
Jas McHenry furniture	14	7 00
Alfred McHenry store	13	10 00
H P Everett store	14	7 00
Holland McHenry store	14	7 00
Elijah Jamison hotel	5	75 00
Kelle Bros stoves and tinware	14	7 00
J J McHenry store	13	10 00
Lemuel Drake hotel	5	75 00
Hon. McHenry	13	10 00
McHenry & Co distillery		100 00
C M Smith store	14	7 00
BERWICK.		
W G Rook hotel		150 00
R Berger restaurant		150 00
John R Gould druggist	14	7 00
M Levy clothing	14	7 00
T J Styles & Co druggist	14	7 00
T J Mandeville & Co hardware	14	7 00
W Brobst hardware	14	7 00
L Michaeser & Co clothing	14	7 00
R B Swayze store	14	7 00
J P Preas & Co store	14	7 00
B F Driesbach organs and machines	14	7 00
H M Hockman confectionery	14	7 00
Smith Bros store	13	10 00
F L Distlehurst furniture	14	7 00
F O McMurtrie clothing	14	7 00
S K Keller pool table	8	80 00
R G Crispin store	13	10 00
H H Bowers store	13	10 00
A P Young stoves and tinware	14	7 00
Isaiah Bowers store	14	7 00
Jackson & Wooden M'f'g Co store	6	50 00
		150 00
Grove & Kisner druggist	14	7 00
Freas Bros lumber	14	7 00
August Thiele bottler		100 00
BRIARCREEK.		
Ash & Bros distillery	3	100 00
G W Miller hotel	5	75 00
BLOOMSBURG.		
Geo Aurand hotel		150 00
D Lowenberg Est clothing	13	10 00
Jacob L Girton hotel		150 00
J R Schuyler & Co hardware	11	15 00
Charles V Runyan hardware	13	10 00
G N Wilson grocery	14	7 00
J D Wilson leather	14	7 00
Stickle & Co confectionery	14	7 00
C C Marr store	14	7 00
C Richard grocery	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Car Co store	13	10 00
C B Robbins liquor store		200 00
W B Taylor bottler		100 00
W H Gilmore restaurant		150 00
Mrs Wm Webb tobacco store	14	7 00
Louis Bernhard jeweler	14	7 00
G A McKelvy druggist	14	7 00
H W Sloan store	14	7 00
Great Eastern Tea Co tea store	14	7 00
Louis Gross clothing	14	7 00
John F Caldwell hotel		150 00
Peter Gross bottler		100 00
Wm Rabb store	14	7 00
Baker and Bender furniture	14	7 00
J W Eyer store	14	7 00
W J Correll & Co furniture	12	10 00
J H Stocker grocery	14	7 00
C A Klotz druggist	14	7 00
H G Hartman carpet store	14	7 00
I W Hartman & Sons store	14	7 00
I W McKelvy store	7	40 00
Mrs M E Ent store	14	7 00
Alexander Bros & Co tobacco	11	15 00
P M Gilmore restaurant		150 00
Moyer Bros wholesale druggists	7	40 00
John S Phillips confectionery	14	7 00
Jacob Keller notions	10	20 00
H J Clark & Son store	12	12 50
Bernard Stohner restaurant		150 00
Geo A Clark book store	13	10 00
F D Dentler shoe store	13	10 00
G W Bertsch clothing	14	7 00
David K Girton pool tables	6	60 00
C W Brown grocery	14	7 00
J Saltzer organs and machines	14	7 00
L E Whary stoves and tinware	14	7 00
Singer Mfg Co sewing machines	14	7 00
Farmers' Produce Exchange store	6	30 00
" " " " coal	14	7 00
W R Koehler coal	14	7 00
Creasy & Wells lumber	14	7 00
B F Hicks grocery	14	7 00
William Gligger		150 00
Bloomsburg Car Co coal	14	7 00
Harman & Hassert coal	14	7 00
N W Barton grocery	14	7 00
Henry Klein grocery	14	7 00
Hartman & Edgar stoves & tinware	14	7 00
Mrs W B Allen store	14	7 00
B H Vannatta paper store	14	7 00
J H Meiser drug store	14	7 00
Andrew Soleder shoe findings	14	7 00
J A Hess shoe store	14	7 00
Evans & Eyer clothing	14	7 00
W R Tubbs hotel		150 00
H V White & Co grain dealers	12	12 50
C W Neal & Bro coal	14	7 00
J J & W H Brower carpet store	14	7 00
Joseph Garrison flour and feed	14	7 00
Ruhlman & Wolf stoves & tinware	13	10 00
D A Creasy store	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Iron Co store	12	12 50
O A Jacoby coal	14	7 00
" " store	14	7 00
G W Sterner hardware	14	7 00
C S Furman harness &c	14	7 00
C E Savage jewelry	14	7 00
CATAWISSA.		
G W Heffmyder hotel	5	75 00
Adam Truckenmiller restaurant	5	75 00
Joseph A Gutterman store	14	7 00
T E Harder furniture	13	10 00
J K Sharpless & Sons store	10	20 00
T D Berninger furniture	14	7 00
A S Truckenmiller organs & machines	14	7 00
Geo Manhart shoe store	14	7 00
J R Diemer store	13	10 00
H F Spangler clothing store	13	10 00
E E Hile shoe store	1	7 00
A L Holshue confectionery	14	7 00
M A Swank store	14	7 00
S B Rhawn restaurant	5	75 00
" " stoves and tinware	14	7 00
E R Longenberger hotel	5	75 00
I H Seesholtz store	14	7 00
C E Claywell grocery	14	7 00
M A Bibby store	14	7 00
G W Fisher Agt druggist	14	7 00
S D Rinard store	14	7 00
C S Schmick hardware	14	7 00
G W Whipple drug store	14	7 00
C F Harder lumber	14	7 00
C W " "	14	7 00
Albert Yetter pool table	8	80 00
Mrs Hester Kistler hotel	5	75 00
M A Bibby coal	14	7 00
C C Mendenhall stoves and tinware	14	7 00
Simon Rough coal	14	7 00
David Griffin coal	14	7 00
E M Tewksbury fertilizers	14	7 00
CENTRALIA.		
Irvin Bros store	13	10 00
M W Brennan restaurant		150 00
Joanna O'Connor liquor store		200 00
John W Goldsworthy restaurant		150 00
" " pool table	8	80 00
Mrs M Peiter hotel		150 00
" " pool table	6	30 00
Mrs Dugan grocery	14	7 00
T Collins liquor store		200 00
Arthur McLaughlin liquor store		200 00
H C Michael furniture	14	7 00
D C Black grocery	14	7 00
Edward McFadden restaurant		150 00
John Nortney liquor store		200 00
Chas Fetterman hotel		150 00
Andrew Lenhan store	14	7 00
G W Davis drug store	14	7 00
A B Fortner stoves and tinware	14	7 00
E J Haffey restaurant		150 00
L A Riley & Co store	3	100 00
L Fetterman store	14	7 00
O B Millard store	13	10 00
James McBrearty restaurant		150 00
E J Finnerty Jr drug store	14	7 00
John Davis confectionery	14	7 00
C H Geise y store	14	7 00
C G Murphy store	13	10 00
D F Curry hotel		150 00
Albert Ball grocery	14	7 00
Thomas Bowan restaurant		150 00
James A Bakey "		150 00
CENTER.		
Low Bros & Co store	14	7 00
G Sponsler store	14	7 00
Thomas Brobst & Son grocery	14	7 00
Z T Fowler grain dealer	13	10 00
J L Wolverton store	14	7 00
CONYNGHAM.		
John L Kline hotel	5	75 00
R W Lyons store	14	7 00
G W Billmann hotel	5	75 00
Wm Herbert store	14	7 00
Frederick Pugeione store	14	7 00
Pat Maloney store	13	10 00
FISHINGCREEK.		
M McHenry & Bro store	14	7 00
J F McHenry store	14	7 00
G M Howell store	14	7 00
Nathaniel Betshine store	14	7 00
Jones & Walter store	14	7 00
Nathan Dreisbach store	14	7 00
A Lewis store	14	7 00
J M Ammerman store	14	7 00
B F Edgar & Co distillery	3	100 00
FRANKLIN.		
A & J W Artley store	14	7 00
L C Bucher store	14	7 00
GREENWOOD.		
A H Foltmer hotel	5	75 00
J E Wellliver store	14	7 00
Geo J Munson store	14	7 00
Ellis Eves & Bro store	11	15 00
T F Eves & Heacock furniture	14	7 00
Masters & Co store	12	12 50
W M Eves & Sons store	14	7 00
C W Eves store	14	7 00
C R Parker store	14	7 00
E E " "	14	7 00
P D Black "	14	7 00
Jacob Rantz store	14	7 00
A J Derr store	14	7 00
A P Young fertilizers	14	7 00
Farmers' Produce Exchange	14	7 00
HEMLOCK.		
C M Terwilliger store	14	7 00
H N & J E White store	14	7 00
C H Deitterick hotel	5	75 00
JACKSON.		
B D Cole store	14	7 00
LOCUST.		
R C Yeager store	14	7 00
Wellington Yeager hotel	5	75 00
J W Snyder store	14	7 00
Wilson Yeager store	14	7 00
Jacob Yesger store	14	7 00
Thos Seaborn store	14	7 00
E H Witner store	14	7 00
Nathan Knorr hotel	5	75 00
L H Danies store	14	7 00
William H Billig store	14	7 00
H M Yocum store	14	7 00
MADISON.		
Miles Smith hotel	5	75 00
Wm Glugles store	14	7 00
Kreamer & Son store	14	7 00
MAIN		
B R Yetter hotel	5	75 00
W M Longenberger store	14	7 00
U J Campbell store	14	7 00
A W Shuman hotel	5	75 00
Chas S Reighard store	14	7 00
Allison Derr store	14	7 00
MIFFLIN.		
Schweppenheiser & Snyder store	14	7 00
A W Hess hotel	5	75 00
" " coal	14	7 00
N B Creasy store	14	7 00
A C Millard stoves and tinware	14	7 00
N J Berninger furniture	14	7 00
D A Hess coal	14	7 00
A W Snyder store	14	7 00
H J Gearhart store	14	7 00
MONTOUR.		
Samuel Haseldine hotel	5	75 00
G B Hosler store	14	7 00
J W Yinger store	13	10 00
Paxton & Harman store	14	7 00
MOUNT PLEASANT		
J P Sands store	14	7 00
ORANGE.		
G P Stiner store	14	7 00
J B Harman furniture	14	7 00
Snyder & Whitmire store	14	7 00
A B Stewart store	14	7 00
Fleckenstine & Bro store	14	7 00
White, Conner & Sloan agricultural implements	14	7 00
G N Smith stoves and tinware	14	7 00
B Low hardware	14	7 00
J B Delong stoves and tinware	14	7 00
C W Low fertilizers	14	7 00
A M Dewitt store	14	7 00
Joe Turner hotel	5	75 00
Reece Fahrman hotel	5	75 00
PINE.		
J R Fowler & Co distillery	3	100 00
R W Lyons store	14	7 00
ROARING CREEK.		
O W Cherington store	14	7 00
SCOTT.		
Wm Deitrick store	14	7 00
Joseph Kleckner hotel	5	75 00
D Richard store	14	7 00
M A Blosser store	14	7 00
" coal	14	7 00
Mrs M M Worman store	14	7 00
J D Workhiser store	14	7 00
Silver Spring Quarry Co store	13	10 00
J W Perry hotel	5	75 00
E Hess store	14	7 00
G Kohr store	13	10 00

Appeals will be heard at the Commissioners office in Bloomsburg on the 9th day of June A. D. 1888, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m., where you can attend if you think proper.

C. L. SANDS,
Mercantile Appraiser.

May 25, 1888,

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In re estate of William Stiler deceased.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' court of Columbia county to make distribution of

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co., Wall St., N. Y.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA

FRIDAY, JUNE 15th, 1888.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN RAILROAD

STATIONS.	SOUTH. Arrive. P. M.	SOUTH. Arrive. A. M.	NORTH. Leave. A. M.	NORTH. Leave. P. M.
Bloomsburg	1 55	8 00	8 45	6 40
Main Street	1 44	7 53	8 49	6 49
Irondale	1 41	7 50	9 00	6 45
Paper Mill	1 33	7 40	9 14	6 54
Lightstreet	1 28	7 35	9 32	6 58
Orangeville	1 13	7 23	9 40	7 10
Forks	12 57	7 11	9 58	7 22
Tubbs	12 56	7 06	10 05	7 07
Stillwater	12 43	7 00	10 15	7 33
Benton	12 30	6 50	10 30	7 45
	Leave. P. M.	Leave. A. M.	Arrive. A. M.	Arrive. P. M.

Trains on the P. & R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:31 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
3:38 p. m.	6:01 p. m.

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:12 a. m.	8:32 a. m.
11:07 a. m.	12:05 p. m.
2:24 p. m.	4:18 p. m.
6:36 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:46 a. m.	11:44 a. m.
5.26 p. m.	4:19 p. m.
SUNDAY.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:16 a m	6:39 p m

PRIVATE SALE
OF VALUABLE

Real Estate !

The undersigned will offer at private sale

Between this date and AUGUST 1st, 1888.

a valuable farm, situate in Hemlock township containing

114 ACRES,

about 90 acres of which is clear and in excellent condition, the balance is woodland.

There is on the premises a large

DWELLING HOUSE

nearly new, containing 10 rooms. The house is furnished on the inside with chestnut lumber. The cellar is one of the best, well made and cemented. The barn is fifty feet long and 30 feet wide, with a new shed attached, twenty-eight by forty feet.

An excellent well of water not more than ten feet from the house.

Choice fruit of all kinds on the premises.

A rare bargain for some one.

CHRISTOPHER KUSTER,
May 18 2m. Buck Horn, Pa.

A BIG OFFER.

The COLUMBIAN will be sent for 6 months, and the New York Weekly *World* until after the Presidential election next November, for 75 cents. Those who are already subscribers to the COLUMBIAN can have the *World* until November 13 by paying up arrearages, and 25 cents additional. This is a great offer and every Democrat should take advantage of it.

SALES.

JUNE 16.—The widow and heirs of Col. H. R. Kline deceased will expose to public sale on the premises, in Orange township at 2 o'clock p. m., a fine sixty acre farm, with dwelling house and bank barn. Located about one and one quarter miles north of Orangeville.

JUNE 28-29.—Chas. C. Evans assignee of D. F. Seybert will expose at public sale at 10 o'clock, a. m. at the homestead of said D. T. Seybert in Salem township, Luzerne Co., Pa., a lot of personal property. Horses, cows, wagons, lumber and rye and wheat in the ground. Also, on June 29 at 10 a. m. at Beach Haven station, a lot of lumber and timber.

FOR SALE.—A desirable and commodious residence on Main street, supplied with water, gas and steam. Apply to jan20tf. L. N. MOYER.

FOR RENT.—Four desirable dwelling houses on First street near Market. All modern improvements. Apply to Z S. Robbins.

WANTED.—100 bark peelers. Apply to Thos. Wheeler, at Wilson Cole's above Central, Columbia county, Pa.

LOST.—On Sunday June 3d, a ladies gold breast-pin containing three small stones. The finder will please return the same to this office.

Personal.

Prof. W. J. Wolverton, of this place, visited Milton last Saturday.

F. G. Holmes is clerking at I. W. Hartman & Sons' this week.

Rev. Dr. Mitchell entered upon his duties at Mount Carmel last Sunday.

Oscar W. Eat started for West Point Tuesday morning to undergo the examination for admission.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Towanda, Bradford county, visited at Dr. I. W. Willits' last week.

Mr. Glen Tubbs, who has been residing at Danville for some time past, is making Bloomsburg his home for the present.

Mr. Philip Unangst went to Easton Saturday last to attend the funeral of his youngest sister. He returned Tuesday.

Sheriff Smith has taken the agency for a Reading firm's phosphates in a portion of this county.

H. Howard Bidleman, who has been teaching school the past year, is spending the summer vacation at his home here.

Gen. S. W. Crawford who commanded the Penna. Reserves at Gettysburg and to the close of their term expects to be at the reunion at Oak Grove, June 26 and 27.

Miss Mary Curran, daughter of Prof. Curran of the Normal Scool, has been appointed salutatorian of the class in which she graduates at Dickenson College this year.

Messrs. K. C. Eat, P. E. Wirt, A. G. Briggs, Frank Everett and Robert Hartman started up the creek the fore part of the week on a trouting expedition. Their headquarters is Baumtown.

The trade in red bandannas will be big this fall.

The Democrats of Milton organized a campaign club this week.

Don't buy your boots and shoes without seeing F. D. Dentler's immense stock.

A reunion of the 50th Pennsylvania Volunteers will be held at Gettysburg, July 5.

Lock Haven will have a big demonstration on the Fourth.

Tennis shoes and base ball shoes at Dentlers.

The corner stone for the Evangelical Lutheran church, about to be built at Mainville, will be laid on Saturday, June 23.

The Juniors were defeated by the Commercials at Athletic Park on Wednesday, the score being 14 to 16.

Last Sunday was Children's Day, and was celebrated in an appropriate manner in some of the churches of town.

Our Lightstreet and East Benton correspondence was unavoidably crowded out last week.

Samuel Shaffer's residence on Third street has been much improved by the addition he has made to it.

A traveling doctor's wagon gave the children a free ride Thursday afternoon of last week, a novel way of advertising.

A picnic party from Scranton, comprising nearly six hundred people, occupied Oak Grove Park last Saturday.

A number of Masons from this place attended a banquet and Masonic meeting at Scranton last Friday.

The peculiar purifying and building up powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla make it the very best medicine to take at this season.

6 acres of fine cabbage plants, best varieties, now ready, also a fine lot of celery, tomatoes, pepper, etc. W. H. Yetter.

B. Stohner has handsomely fitted up the room at the upper end of the Exchange Block, for use as an ice cream parlor.

The fans, run by water motors, recently placed in the leading hotels and restaurants, work like a charm.—*Milton Economist.*

Joshua Fetterman has been improving the rooms in his store building on upper Main street by giving them a fresh coat of paint.

A brilliant meteor made its appearance in the western heavens Sunday evening about 11 o'clock. It was so bright as to give the appearance of a flash of lightning.

The W. C. T. U. is putting up a large sign board in front of their room on Market square containing the name "W. C. T. U. Public Library.

Managers Peacock and Dentler, of the Bloomsburg Opera House, have already booked a number of strong attractions for next season.

A game of ball between the Clerks and Apprentices of town at Athletic Park, Thursday of last week, resulted in the defeat of the clerks. The score stood 18 to 14.

A party of six or seven boys of this place started Monday morning to camp out along the creek. They expect to remain about a week.

Strawberry short cake and coffee will be served at the rooms of the W. C. T. U. Saturday June 16th, commencing at 5 o'clock.

An ice cream festival will be held in the grove at Kitchen's church Saturday evening, June 23. Proceeds to help pay for church organ. All are invited.

The lawn tennis court at Market and Fourth streets is now in first class order and is being used daily by the members of the club.

The Philologian festival given in Music Hall Friday and Saturday evenings of last week was a success. A large number were in attendance each evening.

The wedding of Miss Emma S. Heckman to William P. Sterner is announced to take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heckman, at Espy on Tuesday, June 19th.

An exchange says: It looks mighty small in a full grown man to go to the park, climb a stump and hang on to the fence by the chin to witness a game of base ball, rather than pay his 25 cents like a man.

The concert next Thursday night will be under the direction of Mrs. M. A. Smith, organist of St. Paul's church. A large chorus is in rehearsal, and some excellent singing is promised.

The sprightly drama of "Woodcock's Little Game" will be given at the Opera House on the 21st, in connection with the concert. Don't fail to see it. Admission 35 and 35 cts. Tickets at Dentler's.

A party of four men, nationality unknown, tortured the people of this place one day last week with the horrible noises they brought forth from bag pipes and bass drum with cymbal attachment.

A meeting of the Bonita lawn tennis club was held Monday evening. Chas. W. Funston was elected president, Miss Mame Schoch, secretary and Dr. J. C. Reifsnyder, treasurer.

The unbroken limestone spawls along the side, of Main street have in some places been thrown into the middle of the road in order to facilitate the work of breaking them up and making a good road.

The ladies of the Rupert church will have a chicken and waffle supper and strawberry and ice cream festival in Hess' Grove on Friday afternoon and evening of this week, for the benefit of the church.

The list of examination questions that was given the seniors at the recent examination for graduation will be found printed in full on our fourth page this week. The senior class, numbering fifty-one, all passed.

Ayer's Hair Vigor is a universal beautifier. Harmless, effective, and agreeable, it has taken high rank among toilet articles. This preparation causes thin and weak hair to become abundant, strong, and healthy, and restores to gray hair its original color.

Prof. J. W. Ferree, of the State Normal School, (by the request of the students) will deliver a farewell address before them in the Normal Hall, Thursday evening June 21st, at 8 o'clock. The public are cordially invited.

Twenty-five cents a day purchases a $3,000 policy in The Travelers, of Hartford, which is payable in event of death by accident, with $15 weekly indemnity for wholly disabling injury. J. H. Maize, agent, second floor COLUMBIAN building Bloomsburg. tf.

In order to facilitate business in his office M. P. Lutz purchased a World type writer. It has given such satisfaction that his son Charles B. Lutz has accepted the agency for the machine for Bloomsburg and vicinity, and will call upon the business men and present its merits.

General Sheridan is much better and strong hopes of his recovery are entertained.

M. Levy still continues as the leading clothier in Berwick. He is always up to the times in his selections. Call and see his special stock for this season.

J. A. Howard, the alleged bogus pension agent, was given a hearing here last week and committed to jail to await trial in default of $2,000 bail.

The Winona Hose Company has been invited to participate in a grand Fireman's Tournament at Lock Haven, July 4th and 5th. The invitation has not as yet been accepted.

The Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad will issue excursion tickets to all persons wishing to attend the soldiers' reunion to be held at Oak Grove Park, Bloomsburg Pa., Tuesday and Wednesday June 26th and 27th. Tickets good to return until June 28th.

One of the latest additions to the mercantile business of Berwick is that of Messrs. Milheiser & Co. Clothier and Gent's Furnishing goods. They have a fine stock from which to make selections, and guarantee to please their customers in quality and price. Call and see goods, and consult prices.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg for week ending June 12, 1888.

James W. Bentley, Clinton C. Bittenbender, Ira Doty, Miss Nora J. Hess(2), Mrs. E. D. Sonder, Abie Thomas.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

GEORGE A. CLARK, P. M.

The ladies of St. Columba's church will hold a festival in Music Hall, on Friday and Saturday evenings, June 15th and 16th. They invite their friends to come and be treated to the best. The several contests will be decided on the last night. The contest for gold-headed cane between Mr. Lutz and Father McCann has excited much interest, and the result is anxiously awaited by their many friends.

Michael McNertney, of Wilkesbarre, died at his residence in that place Thursday of last week aged 47. His death was very sudden. He was born in Catawissa, and resided in Wilkesbarre twenty years and had accumulated a fortune in the real estate business. He was a director of the poor of that district and held the office of mine inspector's clerk. He was a prominent Democrat and in 1880 was chairman of the County Committee of Luzerne county.

Those who have paid any attention to runaway accidents know that the most of them occur in the spring of the year. A veteran horse owner who was speaking on this subject recently, said that it was not safe to leave a horse, however good its temper, unattended at this season of the year He explained that the animals are now shedding and are in an intensely nervous and irritable condition, their skins itching and smarting from the change they are undergoing.—*Ex.*

The following is going the rounds of the exchanges: If you want to know how you are regarded by your neighbors follow the suggestion of this paragraph: Put down in figures the year in which you were born, to this add 4; then add your age at your next birthday, provided it comes before January 1st, otherwise your age at last birthday; multiply result by 1,000; from this deduct 677,423; substitute for the figure corresponding letters of the alphabet, as A for 1, B for 2, C for 3, D for 4, etc. The result will give the name by which you are popularly known.

Those desiring to attend the picnic excursion from Berwick to Mauch Chunk and Glen Onoko on the 16th of this month can obtain tickets from J. W. Moyer, who is agent for Bloomsburg. The fare from Nescopeck and return is only $1 50, children from 5 to 12 years of age 75 cents. Train leaves Bloomsburg for Berwick 7:12 a. m.; transfer is made from Berwick to Nescopeck R. R. station. The trip will be over the new route Pennsylvania & L. V. R. R. and six hours time will be given in Mauch Chunk. Fare only 50c. on Switchback if tickets are purchased on train. Morning and evening train will connect on that date. Engage your tickets at once.

The entertainment to be given in the Opera House next Thursday evening, 21st inst, for the benefit of the Episcopal church, will consist of two parts. One will be a drama by some of the young people, and the other will consist of musical selections, in which the Misses Smith of New York will take a leading part, assisted by a number of the best home talent who have kindly consented to lend their voices on this occasion. Misses Nettie and Lottie Smith are highly educated vocalists, and their singing will be a rare treat Tickets may be obtained at Dentler's. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

Harper's Magazine for July is remarkable for strength and vigor from frontispiece to finis. Some of the best-known names in literature are seen in its table of contents, and it is safe to say that those names not yet famous soon will be. In artistic work few issues have excelled this one. E. A. Abbey's sketches, some of them full-page, are simply unequaled anywhere. In all, there are sixty illustrations in the issue. The care with which the mechanical work of the number has been done will be a gratification to careful observant readers. Every issue of this magazine has a distinct educating influence in art, literature, and morals.

James McCormick was brought up before Squire Jacoby Wednesday morning on a charge of assault and battery preferred by John Whitenight. The affair took place on Main street in front of the Court House Tuesday evening, both men being under the influence of liquor. McCormick asked Whitenight for money which was refused him, whereupon he struck Whitenight in the back of the head with his fist. Whitenight made a dive for him and fell down on the pavement, when McCormick brutally kicked him in the face, raising a huge lump on the right side. Bystanders then pulled him off. McCormick waived a hearing before Squire Jacoby and was sent to jail in default of $300 bail, to await trial at September court.

It is probable that Grand Army Day will be celebrated at Bloomsburg this year. The people of this place should use their utmost endeavors to have the celebration take place here, and, having succeeded in that, should lend all possible aid to Ent Post, G. A. R to make the day a grand success. This will be the first event of the kind that has ever occurred here, and for that reason our town should appear at its best. There will be thousands of people here and everybody should help to show them that Bloomsburg is not to be outdone by any towns, at which the day has been celebrated on previous years, in enterprise or hospitality. The exact day has not yet been set, but it will be sometime in the early part of September. If the celebration takes place here, let everybody assist in making it one of the biggest days Bloomsburg has ever known.

Council Proceedings.

June 7th, 1888.

Regular meeting. Present, P. S. Harman, president, and Messrs. Ringler, Hassert, Wolf and Sterling.

L. E. Waller appeared and asked council to increase the capacity of the gutter along north side of Fifth street, from the summit east of Center street to the west side of Market street, so that the storm water could be more successfully carried off.

Elijah Shutt appeared and complained of storm water passing over the discharge at the culvert and flooding his premises as well as his neighbors. Said that gutters along Center street are too small to carry the water that must come down said street.

Geo. Kitchen, from Railroad street, appeared and stated that the drive-way on that street is quite narrow and being in close proximity to the B. & S. R. R., there is great danger of trains frightening horses, and causing them to run into the shade trees along the road; therefore asked council to have the trees removed. George Moyer appeared and said he would agree to the removal of the trees if council would cause the removal of everything within the line of the street,

Joseph Kramer and others of the Rescue Hose and Ladder company appeared and complained that the building in which their fire apparatus is kept is out of repair, consequently axes and other small articles are carried away by thieving parties. On motion the matter was referred to the committee on Fire Department, &c

Joseph Garrison appeared and urged the laying of a crossing on Fifth street, west side of Centre street.

E. R. Ikeler, esq. appeared in behalf of the petitioners for the extension of east Third street and requested that said street be extended in a straight line.

J. D. Shaffer urged the laying of sewer pipe on Iron street from Fourth street to Pine alley, as prayed for in petition presented May 10th On motion it was directed that Mr. Shaffer obtain and present to council the names of those who will connect with the sewer when thus extended, within one year.

The president, chairman of the committee to ascertain damages for the opening of 8th street, reported that M. A. and Harriet Paul will release the right of way over their land for $100. On motion the report was received and it was ordered that an order be drawn upon the treasurer for $100, which shall be delivered upon the execution and delivery by M. A. and Harriet Paul of a release from the said right of way. The committee was discharged.

The secretary reported the ordering of 400 feet of crossing stone from Bound & Boone at Shicksbinny at 13c per square foot.

Contract with Messrs. Ohl and Remly for building stone culvert at West and Fifth streets was presented and read and on motion approved.

Moved and seconded that the solicitor prepare an ordinance changing the place for holding the curbstone market to Market Square, the market to be confined to that place so long as the square will accommodate all attending market. Agreed to.

On motion, agreed to, it was ordered that guard rails be placed all along roads at all dangerous places, of the direction of the committee on roads.

On account of the absence of Messrs. Cadow and Wells no action was taken on the tax rate. Propositions were continued.

Report of Commissioners of Highways and bills and accounts read and received, secretary ordered to issue orders for same. Bills amounted to $810.93, not including order of $100 for M. A. and Harriet Paul.

On motion council adjourned to meet Thursday evening, June 14th.

Bloomsburg vs. Ashley.

The home nine easily defeated the Ashleys, of Ashley, Luzerne county, who claimed never to have been beaten by an amateur nine, at Athletic Park last Saturday. They caught on to the Ashley pitcher the first inning and succeeded in scoring seven runs. Ashley could not as easily understand Pitcher Heist's curves, as the number of assists credited to him will show. Kane, the pitcher for the visitors, did not succeed in fanning out a single one of the home nine. After the second inning, the Ashleys played a better game, and retired Bloomsburg without a single run for five straight innings. Ashley were retired with six "goose-eggs." The visitors succeeded in getting in two runs the fourth, and one the fifth inning, and Bloom made two the eighth and one the ninth, making the score at the end of the ninth inning 5 to 12. The special feature of the game was a fine running catch of a fly made by Housel. Following is the score:

BLOOMSBURG.

	R	1B	PO	A	E
Shaffer c. 1b	1	4	14	2	0
Hayes 1b c	1	3	9	0	1
Hagenbuch 3b	3	1	1	5	0
Sylvis ss	2	2	0	2	1
Glisson 2b	1	1	1	0	0
Mullen cf	2	3	0	0	0
Housel lf	0	1	1	0	0
Boice rf	0	2	0	0	0
Heist p	2	2	1	15	0
	12	18	27	24	2

ASHLEY.

	R	1B	PO	A	E
Green 3b	1	1	2	3	0
Kunay cf	1	1	1	0	0
Davis lf	1	1	1	0	0
Kane p	0	0	0	9	2
Gilroy 2b	1	1	4	2	2
Newhart rf	1	1	0	0	0
Mathews 1b	0	2	11	0	0
Sullivan ss	0	0	1	3	3
McCarich c	0	0	6	2	0
	5	7	26	19	7

INNINGS.

Bloomsburg	7	2	0	0	0	0	2	1		12
Ashley	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0		5

Two-base hits—Hayes, Heist. Total bases on hits—Bloomsburg 20; Ashley 7. Double play—Sullivan to Mathews. Left on bases—Bloomsburg 8; Ashley 4 Struck out—By Heist 15; Kane 5. First base on errors—Bloomsburg 5; Ashley 2. First base on called balls—Heist, Sylvis. Hit by pitched ball—Heist. Wild pitches—Heist 2. Passed balls—Shaffer 2; McCarick 3. Fumble—Sylvis. Dropped thrown ball—Hayes. Umpire—West.

The number of spectators at the game was not as large as it should have been.

Commencement Week.

The program for commencement week at the Normal School is as follows:

Tuesday, June 24, 10:30 a. m., Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. John Lanahan, D. D. of Baltimore. at the Methodist church.

Monday, June 25, examination of undergraduates.

Tuesday, June 26, 8 p. m, address before the literary societies, by Frederick Corss, M. D. of Kingston, Institute Hall.

Wednesday, June 27, 10 a. m., closing exercises of Model school. Institute Hall.

Wednesday, June 27, 2 p. m., exercises of class of 1886. Institute Hall,

Wednesday, June 27, 4 p. m., class-day exercises. Campus.

Wednesday, June 27, 8 p. m., Calliepian reunion. School parlors.

Thursday, June 28, 9:30 a. m., commencement exercises.

Thursday, June 28, 1 p. m., alumni reunion, dormitory chapel, and dinner.

Thursday, June 28, 7:30 p. m. senior reception, school parlors.

Examination of candidates for senior class, Aug. 14, 1888.

Next school year begins Tuesday Aug. 28. 1888.

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Keep Cool.

And buy your shoes of F. D. Dentler.

Shoo Fly.

Why be pestered with flies, when you can buy a screen door so cheap at

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Clean Up.

Clean up the alleys where they need it and scrape out and disinfect all the dirty places. Use lime plentifully everywhere. The hot weather is coming on and everybody should be prepared to maintain the healthfulness of their premises.

"Woodcock's Little Game."

A comedy-farce which follows concert at Opera House on June 21st consists of the following cast of characters:

Mr. Woodcock.....Mr. E Frank Smith.
" Christopher Larkings....Mr. F. Wilson.
" Adolphus Swansdown....Mr. W. Rishton.
David, a servant.....Mr. Dan Brown.
Mrs. Col. Carver.....Miss Annie Maize.
" Woodcock.....Miss Lilla Sloan.
" Larkings.....Miss Kate Gardner.
Susan.....Mrs. Keyser.

The comedy lasts one hour and is full of ludicrous situations and witty sayings. Don't fail to see it. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

Men's fine shoes in kangaroo or calf hand or machine sewed at Dentler's.

Notice to Teachers.

The directors of the Bloomsburg School District will hold a meeting on Friday evening June 29, 1888, to select teachers and janitors for the ensuing year. All applications to receive consideration must be sent to the Secretary on or before that day.

3t15 WM. CRRISMAN, Sec.

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Trunks and valises, a fine assortment at Dentler's.

Wyoming Classis Proceedings.

The following is an abstract of the proceedings of Wyoming Classis, at the annual sessions, held in the Reformed church, Bloomsburg, Pa., May 31 to June 5, 1888.

The opening sermon was preached by Rev. F. K. Levan of Wilkesbarre, Pa.

For the current year the following officers were elected: President, Rev. J. A. Peters, D. D, of Danville, Pa.; Vice-president, Rev. F. C. Yost, of Milton, Pa.; Corresponding secretary, Rev. J. S. Wagner, of Bloomsburg, Pa.; Treasurer, Rev. A. Houtz, of Orangeville, Pa.; Rev. S. S. Kohler, of Wapwallopen, Pa., is stated clerk, the term of office being four years. Rev. F. K. Levan is trustee, the term of office being three years.

A classis in the Reformed church is a body having both legislative and judiciary powers within its jurisdiction. Its transactions partake largely, therefore, of a routine character, and are principally of interest only to those who may be affected by the action taken. Yet there are many things in the proceedings that are of general interest.

In order to provide for the more effective working of the territory committed to its care, Classis felt constrained to reconstruct several of its pastoral charges. By so doing a new pastoral charge has been formed, which will have for one of its congregations what is known as the Heller or Dutch Hill church. A committee has been appointed to assist in procuring a pastor for this charge as soon as possible, who shall take up his residence somewhere within the bounds of the charge. In addition to preaching for the congregations already organized, it is expected that the pastor thus located will also preach at other contiguous points, where the people may not have the privilege of regular divine service.

In response to an invitation from the Principal of the State Normal School, Rev. D. J. Waller, Jr., Ph. D., on Tuesday morning the Classis as a body visited said institution of learning. Rev. Dr. Peters conducted the morning devotional exercises in Normal Hall. At the request of the Principal the school was then addressed by Rev. D. E. Schoedler, of Turbotville, Pa., Rev. F. K. Levan, both of whom have been to some extent engaged in educational work, and briefly by Rev. Dr. Peters. After the morning service, the Principal conducted the members through the various departments of the institution, who expressed themselves as highly pleased with what they saw of the school, and in session afterward adopted a vote of thanks to Rev. Dr. Waller and his associates for the courtesy extended to Classis.

Two new congregations have been organized within the bounds of Classis since its organization, less than a year ago, one at Hazleton and another at Nanticoke, Pa. The following statistics, however, gathered from the reports, will afford some idea of the numeral strength of the Classis, and of the work it is doing. There are 16 ministers, 36 congregations and 4839 members. During the year 438 children were baptized and 18 adults; 373 were added to the membership, or, on an average, a fraction over 10 to each congregation; 181 members died. There are 32 Sunday schools, with 3524 attendants $2,477 were contributed for purely benevolent purposes, and for the various expenses of the congregations, including the salaries of pastors, $25,654.

With respect to the evils of intemperance the Classis adopted the following, sent down by the General Synod of the church, and directed the pastors to read it from their respective pulpits:

Resolved. That we view with profound regret and sorrow the great evil of intemperance, and especially its sad and deadly fruits, crime, poverty, and temporal and eternal death; and that we here and now, before God and the nation, record our protest against it, and earnestly call upon our synods, classes and churches to unite with us in zealous and persistent Christian efforts, looking towards its speedy extermination.

Classis adjourned finally on Tuesday evening, 5th inst, to meet in annual sessions in the Trinity Reformed church, Watsontown, Pa., Rev. Geo. S. Sorber, pastor, on Wednesday evening, June 12, 1889.

The benefits of vacation season may be greatly enhanced, if, at the same time, the blood is being cleansed and vitalized by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A good appetite, fresh vigor, and buoyant spirits attend the use of this wonderful medicine.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Buy Lester's School Shoes. Every pair warranted.

Sunday School Convention.

The 19th annual Sunday school convention of Col. Co. was held in the M. E. church of Lightstreet last Wednesday and Thursday, June 6th and 7th.

After the convention had been opened by impressive devotional exercises by the President Rev. E. A. Sharretts, the pastor of the church, Rev. Malhlieu, gave all present a most cordial welcome to which Rev. U. Myers responded very happily. Mr. Bidleman delegate to the State Convention gave a full and satisfactory report of his attendance at that meeting last Oct.

The report of the statistical secretary, A. W. Spear, showed that the Sunday school work is advancing in our county. Five new schools have been reported this spring. Fifteen township conventions were held during the past year, and were, no doubt, the means of arousing much interest in the work.

The committee appointed last convention to examine Sunday school books published during the year reported the work too great for a small local committee and the work is already being done in a very satisfactory way by the Connecticut Ladies Commission on Sunday school books and offered the following resolutions:

Resolved: That it is the sense of the Sunday school teachers and workers of Col. Co. in convention assembled that the State Sunday school Association should take action on this important matter at its forthcoming convention.

Resolved: That we respectfully suggest that a State committee be appointed modeled after the Connecticut Ladies Commission on Sunday school books or such other action be taken as may be deemed best adapted to accomplish the end in view.

Resolved: That the delegate representing this association in the State Convention be instructed to present the matter to that convention and ask for its favorable consideration. Rev. U. Myers, Miss E. Rupert.

This report was placed in the hands of a committee which at a later session brought in the following: The committee approves the resolutions as given and recommends their adoption by the convention, providing caution be used in the selection of the committee. C. Robbins, Miss Eves and Miss Unangst. This was accepted and adopted.

Each of the five sessions of the convention were opened with devotional exercises and it was gratifying to note the large attendance at these services. The addresses and essays all showed preparation and thought. That of Rev. J. M. Reimsnyder, president of the State Sunday school Association, delivered Wednesday evening was brimful of practical thought for all Christian workers.

A prominent feature in the program was the reports of delegates of the schools they represented. Many of these showed that excellent work is being done in different parts of our county. The president called the attention to two prominent points in the reports. The large number of Sunday school scholars uniting with the church during the past year and the increased zeal for mission work as shown by the collectors.

The address on temperance by Rev. J. S. Wagner was followed by remarks by several members of the convention and by the report of the Executive Committee as follows:

WHEREAS, Since the action taken by this body on the temperance resolutions at the Berwick Convention the High License Law has been passed and remonstrance against each license must be specific and personal and a just and lawful reason for not granting such license must accompany each remonstrance and

WHEREAS' We as a committee believe that to carry out the work assigned us by the County Convention is to transcend our legitimate sphere as Sunday school workers, therefore

Resolved, That no further action be taken to carry out the temperance resolutions adopted by the last convention until the matter has been reconsidered.

This called forth much discussion but the report was finally adopted and later the following motion was offered and carried. That we reaffirm the resolutions adopted at Berwick and instruct the executive committee to devise a plan to carry them into execution as to their intutions, and we pledge ourselves to do our utmost endeavors to reduce the traffic in intoxicating drinks until constitutional prohibition shall have been attained.

Committee on time and place of next meeting, Aaron Smith, Miss Diffenbach, Mr. Patterson, reported last Thursday and Friday in May, subject to change by executive committee, at Stillwater. Adopted.

Report of Treasurer Isaac Martz.

Amt on hand at close Berwick convention..	$15 04
Pd expense of delegate to State convention	4 03
Rec'd at opening of this convention.....	$11 01
Recd from schools.....	57 96
	$71 97
Paid secretary's bill.....	15 40
2d traveling expenses Rev. Reimsnyder....	2 00
Pd State appropriation.....	25 00
Pd janitor.....	1 00
Pd printing cards.....	80
	$44 20
	$26 77

Received and adopted. Report of committee on resolutions adopted as follows:

WHEREAS: In the providence of Almighty God we have been permitted to hold our 19th annual convention of the Sabbath schools of Columbia county.

Resolved: That we tender our thanks to the citizens of Lightstreet for their warm greeting and generous hospitality.

Resolved: That we tender thanks to those who have contributed so largely to the entertainment and benefit of the convention by their music.

Resolved: That we extend our thanks to the ladies for their tasteful decorations in way of birds and flowers.

Resolved: That we thank the trustees of the Lightstreet M. E. church for the use of their large and convenient church in which to hold our convention.

Resolved: That we recommend efforts to be made for the purpose of inducing those Sabbath schools that have not been represented to unite themselves with this organization.

Resolved: That we extend our thanks to all who have given advice and encouragment to the members of the convention.

Resolved: That we extend our thanks to the officers of the convention for the faithful and systematic way in which they executed their work.

Resolved: That it is the sense of the convention that the temperance cause should be advocated in all our Sabbath schools and that all Christians should be united in all legitimate means to check this great evil,

J. EMERY EVES,
MRS. WORMAN,
MISS H. BERRER.

There were present at the convention 119 delegates, representing 66 Sunday schools and about 30 Sunday school workers who were not delegates. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Rev. W. T. Galloway; vice-presidents, Rev. G. B. Dechant, Rev. U. Myers, Rev. C. W. Finkbinder; Treas. Isaac Martz; Cor. Sec., A. W. Spear; Rec. Sec., Miss E. Rupert; Delegate to State convention, A. W. Spear; Alternate, Rev. E. A. Sharretts. These form the Executive Committee for the transaction of business in the interim of convention.

Township vicepresidents: Beaver, J. B. Fox; Benton I. K. Laubach; Bloom, W. J. Bidleman; Berwick, W. C. Shoals; Briarcreek, G. A. Frederick; Catawissa, Geo. Manhart; Centralia, J. W. Fortner; Conyngham, G. F. Goodman; Center, M. I. Low; Fishingcreek, John Sutton; Franklin, J. C. Hile; Greenwood, John Bruman; Hemlock, C. F. Girton; Jackson, T. W. Smith; Locust, Robt. Watkins; Madison, Albert Gurton; Main, J. W. John. Mifflin, M. J. Hess; Montour, W. C Ricuter; Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. H. White; Orange, C. B. White; Pine, Samuel Eckman; Roaringcreek, Mrs. Cherrington; Scott, J. I. Grimes; Sugarloaf, Amandus L. Fritz.

MISS E. RUPERT, Rec. Sec.

A Remarkable Accident.

The Wilkesbarre *Leader* mentions a very remarkable accident that stopped for a while the running of the cars on the Electric Railway at that place: "By a flash of lightning the machinery of the company's plant was rendered useless. It seems that the lightning entered the building by a rear door and taking the opposite course to that which was taken by the current which was sent out, it paralyzed the machinery, taking out all the magnetism in the iron and stopping the engines. The accident is one of the strangest known and has no parallel in history."

Dr. Theel, the celebrated Specialist, has yet to find an equal in curing nervous, kidney, blood, and special diseases. His superior power of healing is due to his complete practical knowledge of allopathic, homœopathic and eclectic systems of medicine. All sufferers should consult him personally or by letter at his office, 538 North Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

MARRIED.

BARNHART—WOLF—In the Reformed church Bloomsburg, Pa., May 31, 1888, by Rev. J. S. Wagner, Mr. John Barnhart of Sunbury, Pa., and Miss Estie Wolf of Mifflinville, Pa.

WHITENIGHT—THOMAS—At the Reformed parsonage, Bloomsburg, Pa., June 3, 1888, by Rev. J. S. Wagner, Mr. Isaac H. Whitenight and Miss Ellen Thomas, both of Grovania, Montour Co., Pa.

SNYDER—YOHE—On Monday May 28, 1888, in Bloomsburg, Pa., by Rev. Frank P. Manhart, Miss Emma Snyder to Mr. John W. Yohe.

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PHILADELPHIA, Monday, June 11, 1888.

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Ginghams 10 to 50c.
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Shirtings, 6 to 15c.

Nothing for dress so easy to do up as Crazy Crêpe. A little care in Sun drying so the garment won't get askew. That's all. The jumbled, tumbled look is part of the beauty. A surface of crinkles, wr

ation. Our establishes domestic industries and enterprises should not, and need not be endangered by a reduction and correction of the burdens of taxation. On the contrary, a fair and careful revision of our tax laws, with due allowance for the difference between the wages of American and foreign labor, must permit and encourage every branch of such industry and enterprise by giving them assurance of an extended market and steady and continuous operation in the interest of American labor, which should in no event be neglected, the revision of our tax laws, contemplated by the Democratic party is to promote the advantage of such labor by cheapening the cost of the necessaries of life in the home of every workingman, and at the same time securing to him steady and remunerative employment.

Upon this question of tariff reform, so closely concerning every phase of our national life, and upon every question involved in the problem of good government, the Democratic party submits its principles and professions to the intelligent suffrages of the American people.

When Secretary Pettit finished reading the platform a wave of applause shook the building.

COL. M. F. TARPEY.

Mr. Gorman arose and the cheering was renewed. When Mr. Gorman sat down Mr. Watterson arose and demanded the previous question. It was carried with a hurrah, and the platform was unanimously adopted.

There were more cheers and then Premier Scott, of Pennsylvania, got the floor. He, too, was greeted with applause. He offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That this convention hereby indorses and recommends the early passage of the bill for the reduction of the revenue now pending in the house of representatives.

Ex- Governor Abbett, of New Jersey, took the floor and read Mr. O'Donohue's resolution expressing sympathy with Ireland. This was carried with shouts and cheers.

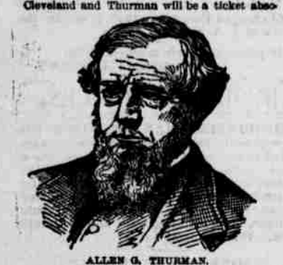
Resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Thomas A. Hendricks were then adopted, and the roll of states and territories was called for the nomination of candidates for the vice presidency.

Col. M. F. Tarpey, of California, went to the front of the stage amid applause. Thousands of the Thurman red bandannas fluttered over the heads of the delegates, and the cheers were deafening. The Gray men met this outburst by a counter demonstration, but their voices were soon drowned in the Thurman cheers. When Mr. Tarpey began to speak, however, the hall became quickly quiet and he presented for the nomination for the vice presidency of the United States the name of Allen G. Thurman, the "Old Roman," the man for whom so many red handkerchiefs have so often waved during the past three days.

Mr. Tarpey first expressed his sense of the honor done him in being detailed to perform the duty of nominating Mr. Thurman. He was proud of the privilege, but he was prouder of the man whose name he was to present. This great country held no superior to the Hon. Allen G. Thurman. The greeting accorded his name was well deserved. Its spontaneity had been nobly earned. What an epitome of American history was embodied in that name!

Mr. Tarpey then reviewed Mr. Thurman's career from the time he took his seat in the United States senate in 1869, and continued as follows:

Cleveland and Thurman will be a ticket abso-



ALLEN G. THURMAN.

lutely irresistless. It will sweep the country with a mighty rush, a tidal wave of approval. Against it all opposition will be fruitless. The approval of Cleveland's administration during the past four years and indorsement of his actions, the simplicity yet remarkable ability with which he has administered his great trust under the most trying circumstances, coupled with the all pervading affection felt for the philosopher of Columbus, will make Cleveland and Thurman a war cry to affright the political enemy.

The enthusiasm which will be aroused upon its announcement will be infectious and, gathering force and volume day by day, it will before November have become epidemic. That the name of Allen G. Thurman should be cheered to the echo in this hall is not strange, for it brings the warm blood of gratitude surging to the heart at every fireside, and the testimonials which the people will surely pay to his worth at the coming November election will be convincing proof of his popularity.

Indiana honors Governor Gray by supporting him for this nomination; Illinois is doing the same for Gen. Black; Michigan for Mr. Dickinson; Wisconsin for Mr. Vilas—good men and true each and all of them, and were it not for the self sacrificing patriotism of Mr. Thurman in response to the almost unanimous wish of the party to permit his name to come before you, it were difficult indeed to choose between such meritorious gentlemen. Their names are fit to grace this or any other ticket. They are each the favorite sons of their respective states, but when Allen G. Thurman, the favorite son of each and every state in this Union, in answer to the universal demand for his acceptance, consents to leave the peace and tranquility of his fireside and again serve his grateful countrymen, so prominent, so colossal is his political figure in the public eye that all others must of necessity share in the immensity. Let no mistake be made at this time. Mistakes are crimes. If you but do your duty, if you but give the people what they expect, what they demand, the contest of parties instead of just commencing will be practically ended, for the great electoral and popular majorities which Cleveland and Thurman will surely receive at the polls will be a revelation even to ourselves. As representatives of the Democracy of the nation we have a duty to perform. We must nominate the man the people have already nominated. We have but to indorse the popular verdict; no less will be be accepted at your hands. Let no consideration of personal friendship or glamour of loyalty influ-

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ence your action. Personal friendship cannot be repaid by nomination where a great party's interest and future are at stake. No trifling with great concerns of state should be tolerated; no expression of local pride can be admitted to influence action; when the sovereign people speak they must be obeyed. Broad ground must be taken. The man of the nation, not the man of the state, must be nominated.

Nominate Allen G. Thurman. Nominate him by acclamation. Let it not be said that one single Democrat in all this great Union failed in this testimonial to the greatest American of his day, the noblest breathing man upon American soil, fit consort in the temple of fame of those patriots of the past the founders of our constitution, whose sacred dust lies calmly sleeping beneath the sods of Mount Vernon, Monticello and the Hermitage, awaiting the dedication of our national pantheon.

When Mr. Tarpey finished speaking Mr. Piggott, of Connecticut, seconded Thurman's nomination.

Mr. Patterson, of Colorado, presented the name of Gen. Black. He made a good speech, but everybody in the hall knew Mr. Black was already out of the race, and the delegates were anxious to nominate Thurman and go home.

Senator Dan Voorhees, "the Tall Sycamore of the Wabash," put Governor Gray in nomination. He told the delegates they could not win without Indiana, and he concluded by making a fervid plea for him. The Hoosiers yelled themselves hoarse at every mention of Gray's name.

Mr. Cox, of Georgia, followed, and seconded Gray's nomination. The Gray men tried to stampede the convention, but Chairman Collins kept them in order with considerable coolness.

Then Mr. Patterson withdrew Gen. Black's name, and the contest narrowed down to Thurman and Gray, with the old Roman several lengths ahead. A score of men in various parts of the hall jumped on chairs and tried to make themselves heard. They all saw that Thurman would win, and they were anxious to float in on the rising tide. Governor Green, of New Jersey, was one of these. He made a very good little speech.

Editor Dawson, of The Charleston News and Courier, also jumped into the T

boat. In the name of South Carolina he seconded his nomination.

Sam Powell, of Ohio, followed him. After him came George Raines, of Rochester; Dorsey, of Nevada; Throckmorton, of Texas; Senator Daniels, of Virginia; MacGinness, of Montana, and others.

It was then decided to make Thurman's nomination unanimous, and this was done amidst a scene of wild excitement. The hall was fairly red with flying bandannas, and the convention hurrahed itself hoarse and adjourned.

State Examination at the Bloomsburg Normal School, June 5-7, 1888.

Examiners Dept. State Supt. Henry Houck, Principal John F. McCreary, of the Cumberland Valley Normal School, Supt. W. E Bloom, of Northumberland Co, and Supt. W. D. Steinbach, of Montour Co.

Latin.—I. *Principal McCreary.*

Giveliteral translation, and parse underscored words. Decline all the nouns and pronouns.

I. *Hoc Proelio* facto reliquas *copias* Helvetiorum ut consequi *posset potnem* in trare *faciendum* curat, atque ita *exercitum* traducte.

II. Tum demum Liscus, oratione Caesaris adductus, *quod* antea tacuerat proponit: "Esse *nonnullos* quorum auctoritas apud plebem plurimum voleat, qui privatim plus possint ipse *magistratus.*"

Botany. II. *Supt. Bloom.*

1. Name the general parts of a plant.
2. State use or uses of each part of a plant.
3. State the difference between simple and compound leaves.
4. State the different arrangements of leaves on the stem, also the different attitudes of stems, and some form of inflorese.
5. Name, describe, and locate the different parts of the flower.
6. Name and describe some of the kinds of each class of roots.
7. Describe the parts of the seed.
8. In the study of plants, should you study the plants themselves or only definitions and descriptions of them?
9. Describe the following plant clover.

III. *Theory of Teaching.*—*Dept. Supt. Houck.*

1. What is meant by the Theory of Teaching?
2. What are the chief elements of teaching power?
3. Name the common school branches in their relative order of importance as subjects of study, and state your reasons for the arrangement given.
4. Explain your methods of teaching and acquiring correct habits of study.
5. Are frequent reviews necessary? Why?
6. What are the greatest hindrances to success in teaching, and in what way may the difficulties named be removed or remedied?
7. State in full your plan of giving instruction in morals and manners, and to what extent you would impart religious instruction in the school room.
8. What constitutes a good school? Give your idea of a good teacher.
9. What estimate do you place upon the teacher's personal example in comparison with his professional work?

Rhetoric. IV. *Prin. McCreary*

1. Discuss diction. 2. Name the rhetorical classification of sentences, and define each.
3. Define metaphor, personification, simile, and give an example of each.
4. Define *poetry*, and name the different kinds.
5. Name three epic poems and their authors.
6. What is meant by iambic pentameter?
7. The curfew tolls the knell of parting day; complete the stanza, scan each line, and explain curfew.
8. Name five American and five English authors; name also one production from each.
9. Name your favorite and poem and give some reasons for your choice.

V. *Mental Science.*—*Dept. Houck.*

1. How are the principles of Psychology related and applied to the science of teaching?
2. Name the leading faculties of the mind in their natural order of development, and state briefly the functions of each.
3. What are the fundamental differences between the intellect, the sensibilities and the will?
4. Explain the terms, subjective and objective, in their relation to mental science.
5. By what means do we get a knowledge of the external world? How do we get our ideas of color? Of form? Of sound?
6. Distinguish between sensation and perception.
7. What is meant by conscience?
8. Classify and define the emotional powers, and describe the peculiar characteristics governing the same.

VI. *History of Education.*—*Dept. Houck.*

1. Say what you can of each of the following of his life and educational views, Socrates, Quintilian, Pestalozzi, Lancaster, Mann, Stevens, and Parker.
2. Give a short sketch of education in Pennsylvania before and since the adoption of the Common School System.
3. How many public school children are there in Pa? What is the annual cost of education?

VII. *Oral Examination in History of Education and School Law.* *Dept. Houck.*

1. All who can tell me something about Stevens raise your hands.
2. Before the public school system, what opportunities had children for obtaining an education?
3. Who paid for the education of the poor?
4. How many schools in Penn'a? How many children?
5. How much do the common schools cost?
6. How is the money for public schools raised?
7. Has a teacher the right to expel a pupil?
8. How many directors constitute a school board?
9. What is the highest number of mills that can be levied on a dollar, for school purposes?
10. Name the different kinds of certificates granted in Pa.
11. How long is a permanent certificate valid?

VII. *Geometry.*—*Supt. Steinbach.*

1. When one straight line crosses another straight line, proves that the angles are equal.
2. Prove that the sum of the three angles of a triangle is equal to two right angles.
3. Show that the diameter of a circle is greater than any other chord.
4. Erect a square on the hypothenuse of a right angled triangle and prove that it is equivalent to the sum of the squares on the other two sides.
5. A circle 20 feet in diameter is circumscribed by another circle 30 feet in diameter; what is the area of the space included between them?
6. What proportion is deduced from the equation, $(C \times D) \times A = (A \times B) \times C$?
7. The distance around a circular park is 1½ miles; how many acres does it contain?
8. The area of a triangle is 24276 square feet, and its sides in proportion to the numbers 13, 14, and 15; find the length of the sides in feet.
9. A ball 4, 5 inches in diameter weight 18 ounces, what is the weight of another ball of the same density that 9 inches in diameter?
10. The roof of a house 30 feet wide has the rafters on one side 20 feet long, and on the other side 18 feet long; how many feet of boards will be required to board up both gable ends?

IX. *Natural Philosophy.*—*Supt. Bloom.*

1. Of what is air composed? In what proportions? Is air matter?
2. Explain relative motion and relative rest.
3. How many bodies, or parts of a body, must be concerned in the action of a single force?
4. If the earth's mass were doubled without any change of volume, how would it effect your weight?
5. Suppose a rubber foot ball to be partially inflated with air at the surface of the earth, what would happen if it were taken up in a balloon?
6. If the area of the end of a large piston of a hydrostatic press is 100 square inches, what would be the area of the end of the piston that a force of a hundred pounds applied to it may produce a pressure of 2 tons?
7. A solid weighs 10 pounds in air and 6 pounds in water; what is the weight of an equal bulk of water? What is its specific gravity?
8. How many times is the tendency of overturning a carriage in turning a corner increased by doubling the velocity of the carriage?
9. What is electricity? How may it be developed? In what substances?
10. Explain the different kinds of mirrors, and the effects of each upon a ray of light striking it.
11. Name as many sources of heat as you can? Why should heat be applied to the bottom of a body of water?

The senior class numbered 51, all passed the examination.

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Former Conventions.

BRIEF HISTORY OF HOW DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES WERE NOMINATED.

During the earliers years of the federal government candidates for president and vice-president were not placed in nomination by national conventions. Until 1800 the two candidates who received the highest number of electoral votes were declared president and vice-president respectively. In the year 1800 two candidates were named by the congressional caucuses with the understanding that the one receiving the most votes should be president and the other one vice-president. From this time until 1832 the candidates were named by congressional, legislative and other caucusses of leading men in the party.

In 1796 the democratic party supported Jefferson and Aaron Burr; in 1800, the same candidates; in 1804, Jefferson and George Clinton; of New York; in 1808, James Madison and George Clinton; in 1812, Madison and Gerry; in 1816, James Monroe and Daniel D. Tompkins; in 1820, same candidates; in 1824, the party was divided in support of William H. Crawford, of Georgia, and Andrew Jackson for president, John C. Calhoun receiving the united support for vice president; in 1828, Jackson and Calhoun.

The first democratic national convention was held in Baltimore, May 12, 1832. On the first ballot, for vice-president, Martin Van Buren received 208 votes, Barbour 49 and R. M. Johnson 26 Jackson was nominated for president by acclamation. Simon Cameron was one of the delegates to this convention from Pennsylvania.

In 1836 the convention was again held in Baltimore. For president on the first ballot all the delegates (265) voted for Martin Van Buren. For vice-president R. M. Johnson received 179 votes and W. C. Rives, of Virginia, 86.

May 5, 1840 the convention again met in Baltimore. Delegates were present from twenty-one states. The next day a resolution was unanimously adopted declaring Martin Van Buren to be the candidate for president. No nomination was made for vice-president, each state being left to nominate its own candidate.

May 27, 1844, the convention was called to order in Baltimore. On the first ballot Van Buren received 146, Johnson 24, Buchanan 4, Case 84; 178 votes were required to nominate. Nine ballots were taken. On the eighth Van Buren received 104, Case 114, Polk 41, Buchanan 2, Calhoun 2. On the ninth ballot James K. Polk received every vote. Silas Wright; of New York, was nominated for vice-president, but declined. On the third ballot George M. Dallas, of Pennsylvania, was nominated by a vote of 220, 30 votes being cast for Fairfield, of Maine, and 6 for Levi Woodbury of New Hampshire.

May 22, 1848, the convention again met at Baltimore. Among the delegates were Samuel J. Tilden, of New York, and Simon Cameron, of Pennsylvania. There were three names presented for the presidential nomination Buchanan, Woodbury and Cass. On the fourth ballot Cass was nominated, receiving 179 votes to 33 for Buchanan and 38 for Woodbury. William O. Butler, of Kentucky, was nominated for vice-president.

At the convention which met in Baltimore June 1, 1852, forty-nine ballots were taken for the presidental candidate. On the forty-eighth Cass received 73, Buchanan 28, Douglas 33, Marcy 89, Pierce 55. On the last ballot Pierce received 283 votes, to 2 for Cass and 2 for Douglas. For vice-president William R. King, of Alabama, was nominated on the second ballot.

The convention of 1856 was held in Cincinatti on the second of June. For president there were 17 ballots, the candidates being Buchanan, Pierce, Douglas and Cass. Buchanan was nominated on the seventeenth ballot receiving 296 votes. Breckenridge was nominated for vice-president on the second ballot.

April 23, 1860, the convention met at Charleston, South Carolina. After being in session for some time the delegates from the southern states withdrew, and after they had left fifty-four ballots were taken but no candidate named and the convention adjourned to meet in Baltimore June 18. The seceding delegates held a meeting and adjourned to meet in Richmond June 11, at which time they met and adjourned to await the action of the Baltimore convention. When the latter convention met John C. Breckenridge was unanimously nominated for president, and Joseph Lane, of Oregon for vice-president. On the same day the seceding delegates held a convention in Baltimore and nominated Stephen A. Douglas for president, and Benjamin Fitzpatrick of Alabama for vice-president.

In 1864 the democratic convention met in Chicago on August 29. On the first ballot General George B. McClellan was nominated, receiving 202½ votes to 23½ votes for Horatio Seymour. On the second ballot, for vice-president, George H. Pendleton received the nomination.

July 4, 1868, the convention met at New York. On the twenty-fourth ballot Seymour received the unanimous vote of the convention (317) for president, and Francis P. Blair was unanimously nominated for vice-president.

The convention which met in Baltimore, July 9, 1872, endorsed the nominations of Greeley and Brown, the candidates nominated by the liberal republican convention.

June 27, 1876, the convention met at St. Louis. On the second ballot Samuel J. Tilden was nominated for president. For Thomas A. Hendricks for vice-president, on the first ballot 378 votes were cast and 8 blank ones.

At Cincinnatti in 1880 General W. S. Hancock was nominated on the second ballot for president, and for vice-president W. H. English was nominated by acclamation.

July 8, 1884, the convention met in Chicago. On the second ballot Grover Cleveland was nominated for president and for vice president Thomas A. Hendricks received the unanimous vote of the convention.

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DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	P M	P M	NORTH. A. M.	A. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	5 40	1 35	10 10	6 15
Cameron	5 55	.....	10 25	6 30
Cholasky	6 00	.....	10 29	6 34
Danville	6 08	1 58	10 36	6 40
Catawissa	6 25	2 14	10 53	6 58
Rupert	6 30	2 19	11 00	7 05
Bloomsburg	6 36	2 24	11 07	7 12
Espy	6 42	2 29	11 15	7 20
Lime Ridge	6 50	.....	11 22	7 27
Willow Grove	6 54	.....	11 26	7 31
Briarcreek	6 58	.....	11 30	7 35
Berwick	7 05	2 45	11 37	7 42
Beach Haven	7 11	2 54	11 44	7 49
Hick's Ferry	7 15	2 59	11 48	7 55
Shickshinny	7 20	3 09	11 58	8 06
Hunlock's	7 43	3 19	12 08	8 17
Nanticoke	7 50	3 26	12 16	8 22
Avondale	7 54	.....	12 20	8 38
Plymouth	7 59	3 35	12 25	8 33
Plymouth Junction	8 03	3 39	12 30	8 38
Kingston	8 08	3 43	12 37	8 45
Bennett	8 12	.....	12 41	8 49
Maltby	8 17	.....	12 45	8 55
Wyoming	8 22	3 52	12 50	8 58
West Pittston	8 27	3 56	12 55	9 03
Pittston	8 33	4 01	1 03	9 09
Lackawanna	8 40	.....	1 11	9 17
Taylorville	8 48	.....	1 19	9 25
Bellevue	8 54	.....	1 25	9 30
SCRANTON	9 00	4 22	1 30	9 35

STATIONS.	A M	A M	SOUTH. P M	P M
SCRANTON	6 10	9 50	2 05	6 90
Bellevue	6 18	9 55	.....	6 25
Taylorville	6 20	10 00	2 14	6 30
Lackawanna	6 28	10 08	2 21	6 37
Pittston	6 36	10 16	2 28	6 45
West Pittston	6 42	10 22	2 34	6 50
Wyoming	6 47	10 27	2 39	6 55
Maltby	6 51	10 30	.....	6 59
Bennett	6 55	10 34	2 47	7 03
Kingston	6 58	10 38	2 50	7 07
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Espy	8 26	11 58	4 12	8 41
Bloomsburg	8 32	12 05	4 18	8 47
Rupert	8 37	12 10	4 24	8 52
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EASTWARD,

9.40 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 5.50 p. m.; Baltimore, 4.40 p. m.; Washington 5.55 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

1.43 p. m.—Day express daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.50 p. m.; New York, 9.35 p. m.; Baltimore 6.45 p. m.; Washington, 7.55 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

7.45 p. m.—Renovo Accommodation (daily for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.25 a. m.; New York 7.10 a. m. Baltimore, 5.15 a. m.; Washington 6.25 a. m.; Pullman sleeping car from Williamsport to Philadelphia. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

9.50 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Monday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 8.25 a. m. New York, 11.30 a. m.; Baltimore 8.15 a. m.; Washington, 9.30 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.10 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Sunday), for Erie and all intermediate stations and Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through Pullman Palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9.53—News Express (daily except Sunday) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

12.35 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane and intermediate stations and Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Watkins

5.30 p. m. Fast Line (daily, except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

9.20 a. m.—Sunday mail for Renovo and intermediate stations

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Sunday mail leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m Harrisburg 7.40 arriving at Sunbury 9.30 a. m. with through sleeping car from Philadelphia to Williamsport.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m. Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury 9.53, a. m.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.30 a. m. (daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury, 12.59 p. m., with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 9.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.50 a. m.; Washington, 9.00 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m. (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 5.30 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Erie Mail leaves New York 8.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.25 p. m.; Washington, 10.00 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.20 p. m., (daily except Saturday) arriving at Sunbury 5.10 a. m., with through Pullman Sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia.

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Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.26 p. m. Wilkes-barre 7.55 p. m

Sunbury Mail leaves Wilkesbarre 10.20 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 11.46 a. m., Sunbury 12.35 p. m

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 2.55 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4.19 p. m., Sunbury 5.10p.m

SUNDAY ONLY.

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